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REPORT ON CANADIAN CROP CONDITIONS

BULLETIN ISSUED BY CENSUS DEPARTMENT

Estimated Wheat Production Shows Decrease of 5 Per Cent Under Last Year

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—A bulletin issued to-day by the census and statistics office covers the crop conditions in Canada for the month ended September 30. It states that during this month disastrous wet weather continued to prevail over most parts of Canada, especially over the provinces of Quebec, Ontario and Manitoba. On September 30 large areas of grain, both in the east and west, were still either uncut or were exposed to the wet in stook.

Much damage has been caused by sprouting and in the north provinces second growth has in numerous instances caused uneven ripening and consequent lowering of grade. Frosts during September in those provinces did some damage but as a rule, only late sown crops, including flax, were seriously affected. In parts of Southern Ontario the ground is so wet that many farmers have abandoned the sowing of the fall wheat for next year.

Estimates of the yield published a month ago could only be regarded as of preliminary value because, in consequence of the bad weather and late season, harvesting operations had made so little progress. The new estimates of yield obtained from correspondents at the end of September confirm generally the previous estimates for most of the crops, but inasmuch as very little threshing had been possible and large areas of the grain were still unharvested, it is feared that the final estimates after completion of the threshing may turn out lower than the figures now given.

For spring wheat the estimated production is 188,816,600 bushels as compared with 189,904,500 bushels last year. For fall wheat the estimate is 16,868,700 bushels, compared with 26,014,000 bushels last year, the total estimated wheat production being, therefore, 205,685,300 bushels as compared with 215,918,500 bushels in 1911, a decrease of five per cent. The yield per acre is 21.08 bushels for all wheat, as against 20.77 bushels last year.

Oats show a total production of 381,502,000 bushels, compared with 348,585,600 bushels last year, the yield per acre being 41.39 bushels, compared with 37.75.

Barley is estimated to yield a total of 43,895,100 bushels, compared with 40,631,000 bushels last year, the yield per acre being 31.00 bushels, against 28.94. The total production of rye is 3,088,000 bushels, against 2,688,800 bushels in 1911, the yields per acre being respectively 20.75 and 17.41 bushels of oats. Barley and rye increases in total production, as compared with last year, represent percentages of 9, 8, and 15. The estimated production of peas is 4,202,000 bushels; of beans is 1,106,100 bushels; of buckwheat 10,924,100 bushels; flaxseed 21,143,400 bushels; of mixed grains 17,940,900 bushels, and of corn husking 14,218,400 bushels.

The average quality of these crops for the first time measured upon a percentage basis of 100 as representing grain well headed, well filled, well saved and unaffected to any appreciable extent, by frost, smut, etc., is as follows:

Spring wheat 83.70; oats 80.01; barley 84.28; rye 80.02; peas 66.41; beans 67.81; buckwheat 80.87; mixed grains 90.59; flaxseed 83.86; and corn for husking 71.92 per cent.

Of these crops wheat, oats, barley and flax are above, while peas, beans and corn for husking are below the average quality for either of the two previous years. Rye is slightly below the average. Flax is well above the quality of both 1911 and 1910. Root crops continue to show excellent figures as represented by average conditions during growth. The highest are potatoes 90.12 per cent.; and the lowest corn, for fodder, 80.63 per cent, the last-named crop having improved by over four per cent. during the month.

VAST SUMS SPENT IN BUILDING WARSHIPS

Both Great Britain and United States Spending More Than Germany

London, Oct. 17.—Judging by the Admiralty returns just completed, both Great Britain and the United States are spending more for naval construction than Germany.

In demonstrating the immense increase in naval expenditure in the last eleven years, the Admiralty report shows that in 1901 Great Britain spent $170,000,000 on naval construction and expansion, the United States $80,000,000, and Germany $47,500,000.

In 1912, however, Great Britain's account has reached $225,000,000, the United States has increased her expenditure to $130,000,000, while Germany is spending over twice as much as in 1901, namely, $110,000,000.

TO ESTABLISH STANDARD.

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 17.—A Royal Commission has been appointed by the Nova Scotia government to investigate the various systems of education employed at the universities and colleges in this province with a view to establishing a standard.

FARMER ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

Edmonton, Alta., Oct. 17.—Octavia Houle, a farmer who lives two miles north of Fort Saskatchewan, was shot while loading grain onto a waggon. He was working with two sons, and they had placed a rifle inside one of the stooks of grain and proceeded to load the waggon. They forgot that the gun was in one of the stooks, and loaded it on the waggon. When it was being pitched on to the waggon, the rifle was lifted on the fork and caught on the edge of the rack, exploding. The bullet entered Houle's forehead.

WORKSHOP FOR BLIND.

New York, Oct. 17.—The Bourne workshop for the blind, erected at a cost of $170,000 by Miss Emily H. Bourne, and the most completely equipped institution of its kind in the world, was opened for the blind workers of the city to-day by the New York Association for the blind. The building is equipped for making brooms, mops and caning of chairs. Fifty workers have already applied for benches and there is room for as many more. They will be able to earn from $10 to $12 a week at their trades.

PATHFINDER ON LAST LAP OF TRIP

NANAIMO WELCOMES THOMAS W. WILBY

Will Proceed to Alberni, Completing Auto Journey Across Continent

Nanaimo, Oct. 17.—Bronzed with long exposure, but remarkably fit and well after his tremendous journey, T. W. Wilby, the pathfinder of the National Motor Highway Association, stepped ashore from the Princess Patricia yesterday afternoon to embark on the last leg of his journey from Atlantic to Pacific. He has passed through mud and bog, climbed mountains and hills to which roads are yet unknown, and his speedometer has ticked over 4,000 miles without the slightest accident or mechanical trouble befalling the Reo car which he has driven from ocean to ocean.

To a Times representative he said that he had dipped his tires in the water of the Atlantic at Halifax and intended to-day to leave them in the waters of the Pacific at Alberni. The car has travelled on its own power all the way, save for about 20 miles near Lytton, at which point the nature of the land necessitated having the car placed on a flat wagon and shipped by rail.

Mr. Wilby left Halifax on August 27 under the auspices of the Canadian Highway Association, who had given him the task of finding a road from one end of Canada to the other. F. V. Haney, his mechanician, who was his only companion as far as Regina, expressed his pleasure at the behaviour of the big Reo car. He said that they had encountered seas of mud between Winnipeg and Fort William, and they had travelled great distances along the railroad rights of way in lieu of roads, but otherwise the journey had not been so difficult as expected.

E. Wise, whose knowledge of the ways across the Rockies is unsurpassed, accompanied the party from Regina to the final stages.

A great welcome was given Mr. Wilby in Nanaimo. P. Bannerman and George Mellor in a Cadillac car represented the Victoria Automobile Association, while Frank Shepherd, M. P., and Mayor Shaw, of Nanaimo, gave brief congratulatory addresses. There was a banquet last evening, at which most of the prominent citizens of Nanaimo were present.

To-day a procession of cars will accompany the conqueror to Alberni, his final goal.

SALVATION ARMY AND EMIGRATION

Col. Lamb Testifies Before the Royal Commission in London

London, Oct. 17.—Under the presidency of Hon. George E. Foster the Overseas Dominions Royal Commission is still hearing evidence regarding immigration. Col. Lamb, of the Salvation Army, said England had a standing army of half a million partially unemployed people. Of these twenty thousand could be advantageously sent as immigrants to the Dominion right away.

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TORY TACTICS IN MANITOBA

SOME SENSATIONS LIKELY TO FOLLOW

Report That Government is Trying to Prevent Suit for Damages

Winnipeg, Oct. 17.—Until the election cases against the Liberals have been disposed of, three of them coming before magistrates at Portage la Prairie and Morden to-day, two against Sullivan and Prince, and one against Walkinshaw, Liberals are keeping quiet their plans as to what steps they will take in regard to Magistrate McMicken's remarkable action yesterday. Leaders of the Liberal party in Winnipeg state there will be surprising developments within the next few days. One thing decided upon is to protest the election in Macdonald. It has also been decided to bring the conduct of the Macdonald election before the Committee on Privileges and Elections in the House of Commons as early as possible, when all Manitoba witnesses will be present to give evidence.

Another remarkable development is that Capt. W. Sifton, who was arrested during the election and taken away from St. Laurent, where there was a tremendous increase in the Conservative vote in consequence, has been offered a position by the Roblin government in the Hudson Bay District. This is considered part of a scheme to head off a damage action which Sifton threatened to bring against the government for $10,000.

Magistrate McMicken yesterday only fined two personators in St. James' polls $50 each before the opening of the court and before Liberal lawyers and prosecutors arrived, despite the fact that the Dominion election law expressly states there must be a fine and imprisonment when there is a conviction for personation.

Honorably Acquitted.

Portage la Prairie, Oct. 17. — D. H. Wakinshaw, who was arrested at Rathwell charged with infractions of the Dominion Elections Act in the Macdonald election, appeared before Mayor J. J. Garland this morning and was dismissed after F. G. Taylor, who appeared for the crown, had stated that he had no evidence to offer in support of the charge. E. J. McMurray, on behalf of the accused, asked for a certificate of honorable acquittal, which was granted.

TARIFF REFORM CAMPAIGN.

Messages of Good Will From Joseph Chamberlain and Bonar Law.

London, Oct. 17.—The banquet at Grosvenor House, the Duke of Westminster's town residence, to promote the cause of Imperial preference and tariff reform, naturally is dealt with by to-day's papers according to the taste and fancy of the respective editorial leanings.

The Morning Post asserts that tariff reform is not like free trade, supported by a limited number of rich men, "but although we cannot claim, like the Liberals, to be a party of millionaires the dinner given last night shows tariff reform is also backed by a fair proportion of the wealth of the country."

The Morning Chronicle makes great fun of the event and questions whether all the names published as being in attendance fulfilled the original condition of subscribing £1,000 apiece for the felicity of sitting at a Ducal table and furthering the cause of dear food. It also regards as significant that while Joseph Chamberlain and Bonar Law sent messages of good will, neither said anything about subscribing £1,000.

READY TO INTERVENE.

Great Britain and France Would Have Opposed Closing of the Dardanelles By Italy.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 17.—The conclusion of the peace between Italy and Turkey has come at an opportune moment. It is learned from a well-informed, confidential source, that the dispatch of the British warships to the Aegean Sea and the mobilization of the French Mediterranean fleet was in support of the French and British government's desire to notify Italy that the avowed intention of attacking the Dardanelles, which would bring about the closing of the Straits by Turkey, would be disapproved and perhaps prevented by Great Britain and France with the full approval of Russia, whose commercial interests would suffer perhaps more than those of the other powers of the triple entente.

CHURCH BUDGET.

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 17.—To meet the budget of the Presbyterian church for the year 1911 the officials have argued the matter closely and claim that each member of the church of Canada must give a little more than eight cents a week on an average to meet the expense of $1,200,000. Putting the membership at 500,000 the amount asked on the average is four dollars per member. Ten cents is the amount set for each, however, and if the rate is sustained it will yield a revenue of $1,560,000.

KILLED IN RUNAWAY.

Montreal, Oct. 17.—A team of horses attached to a waggon of the Thomas Davidson Manufacturing Company ran into the side of a street car on the crossing of Mountain and St. Antoine streets, and the result was that Alphonse Courvet, 28 years old, died an hour later and Jean B. Gravel, 33 years old, is not expected to live. Both were employees of the Davidson Company and were on the seat of the waggon when the horses struck the car.

TROUBLE IN MINES IN CROW'S NEST

DISPUTE IN REGARD TO RATES FOR YARDAGE

Miners Make Application for Appointment of Board of Conciliation

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—The possibility of more trouble in the British Columbia coalfields was renewed this morning in an application directed at the department of labor from the miners employed by the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co. for the appointment of a board of conciliation to deal with a dispute which has arisen in regard to the matter of the rates for yards.

In connection with the settlement of the general coal strike last autumn provision was made for the reference of any dispute to a committee. The Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co. has objected to have the matter referred to this committee and the men have applied to the department for the appointment of a board.

The news has created some concern as to the possibility of a serious strike, more particularly as recent dispatches from the west have suggested the possibility of coal shortage in Saskatchewan. The dispute in question affects 2,000 miners directly and 3,000 indirectly.

WHEAT HAS BEEN CUT IN ALBERTA

THRESHNG NOW UNDER WAY IN PROVINCE

More Harvesters Are Needed in Saskatchewan and Manitoba

Lethbridge, Alta., Oct. 17.—Alberta's 70,000,000 bushel crop is all cut. Not more than 25 per cent. of it is threshed, but with present weather conditions the granaries are rapidly filling, and the railways are busy hauling it away.

Charles H. Hotchkiss, publicity commissioner for the province of Alberta, arrived in the city yesterday to attend the dry farming congress and exposition next week, and is enthusiastic over this year's bumper crop. He says:

"Albera never had a better crop, nor has it ever had one which has been saved in such good condition. Threshing in the north is well under way, but the percentage rapidly increases as one comes south, and here, I should judge, 50 per cent. is already threshed."

How the farmers are going to feed all the rough grains, hay and straw of this year's crop, is a question which the department of agriculture now has under consideration. The province is facing a dearth of livestock which the government is trying to overcome. The farmers are already trying to buy up all the available stock from the ranchers for winter feeding, but even at that the feed will be a glut on the market. Many of the farmers are bringing sheep and cattle from the outside, and there is no doubt that there will be a lot of cattle winter-fed this winter.

Demand For Help.

Winnipeg, Oct. 17.—"Harvesters are coming in," said J. Bruce Walker, "but not in as large a number as I would like to see them. Saskatchewan is very much in need of men and at Saskatoon the farmers are paying $4.50 and $4.75 per day."

It seems that at every point in Manitoba farmers are short of men and are offering a uniform price of $3 per day. At Virden 100 men are needed, and a loud cry comes from Morden, Pilot Mound, Killarney, Deloraine, Carman, Elm Creek and Treherne.

With even the small number that have responded to the call this will help to solve the vexing question of the gathering of grain before the frost comes, and with a further dry spell the farmers are quite sure that there will be very little left of the vast crop by the end of October.

In the agricultural districts around Saskatoon the demand for help is the greatest. At this point as high as $4.75 a day has been offered, and yet the farmers declare they cannot get enough men.

DECLARATION OF WAR BY TURKEY

HOSTILITIES AGAINST SERVIA AND BULGARIA

Forward Movement of Turks Ordered—Fighting Along the Frontiers

London, Oct. 17.—War became general to-day throughout the Balkan Peninsula, and Turkey, which for a week or more has been fighting with Montenegro, issued this morning a formal declaration of hostilities against Servia and Bulgaria.

Greece, for some reason, is not mentioned in the official document delivered to the Servian and Bulgarian legations at Constantinople, and the Greek minister has not been asked to leave the Turkish capital as were his Servian and Bulgarian colleagues. The Turkish minister, however, left Athens without the usual formalities.

Fighting between Turkish and Greek armies has begun on the frontier.

The British cabinet held a long session to-day to discuss the French proposal for a conference of the Powers. It was also said that the British government was supporting the efforts being made to raise a Turkish loan in London, but this was denied at the foreign office. Leopold De Rothschild has made several visits to Premier Asquith lately and it was said that these were in connection with the project of a Turkish loan.

The Sofia correspondent of the Times says:

"So far from Montenegro having begun war as a part of the allies' plan, both the Bulgarian and Greek governments have addressed remonstrances to King Nicholas against precipitate action. The Montenegrin government was resolved not to let pass the unique opportunity to begin a war which had been foreseen for many years."

Considerable bodies of Servian troops have been sent across the Bulgarian border to join the Bulgarian army, says a dispatch from Nish.

Describing the terrible conditions of the hospital at Tushi, a Podgoritza dispatch says that a hundred wounded Turks are lying about half naked awaiting treatment. Floors are littered with putrid medical dressings. The Turkish doctors are apathetic, doing nothing.

The Cettinje correspondent of The Daily Mail tells of the crying need for first aid service. He says the hospital arrangements at Podgoritza are very bad. There is no proper sanitation, and operations are performed in the crudest manner after days of delay with no preliminary dressings.

The Montenegrins, after hard fighting, have captured the town of Berana, but it is reported that there will be a pause in the operations around Tushi. Undoubtedly this is due to the Montenegrins realizing that they have paid too dearly for their success in heavy loss of life. King Nicholas, accordingly has issued a proclamation urging his soldiers to restrain their impetuosity and adapt themselves to modern conditions of war, which demand artillery preparation before an attempt is made to storm fortified points.

The Montenegrin Princes, Danilo and Peter, have been busy in the engagements, personally leading their forces. Prince Peter has been promoted to major for bravery. General Martinovitch's division has worked its way closer to Scutari, and it is stated that an Austrian vessel has been ordered up the Boyana river to bring the Austrian consul and his colony from Scutari.

The rate of discount of the Bank of England was raised to-day from four to five per cent. The announcement was the natural outcome of the refusal of the bank on Monday to discount bills below that level owing to abnormal difference between the money market and the discount rate, as well as the Balkan war and actual and prospective gold demands.

Turks Open Hostilities.

Constantinople, Oct. 17.—Hostilities were opened at 2.30 this morning by Turkish troops at various points along Bulgarian and Servian frontiers.

The divisions of the Turkish army have been ordered to make a simultaneous forward movement.

Formal declaration of war against Servia and Bulgaria was proclaimed by the Turkish government to-day.

Greeks and Turks Clash

Athens, Oct. 17.—Fighting between Greek and Turkish forces stationed along the frontier began early to-day.

The Greek gunboats A. and D. early to-day forced the Turkish blocade at the narrow entrance to the Gulf of Arta, one side of which is Turkish and the other Greek. Under a heavy fire from the Turkish port, Prevesa, which dominates the entrance, the gunboats reached the Greek town of Venitza on the southern shore with but very little damage.

Will Join the Colors.

Algiers, Oct. 17.—An escort of four Greek destroyers is convoying the Greek steamer Mayo Donia with Greeks, Bulgarians and Servians on board returning from America to join their regiments in the fight against the Turks. She also carries a large cargo of ammunition.

Montenegrin Successes.

Podgoritza, Montenegro, Oct. 17.—The Montenegrins have captured Berana after ten hours' fighting. Seven hundred Turkish troops were made prisoners. Fourteen guns were taken and large quantities of ammunition and provisions.

In the final attack the Montenegrins had 10 men killed and 31 wounded.

The Servians, many of whom reside in the town of Berana, hailed General Vukotick and his victorious troops as their deliverers.

General Martinovitch, after a short engagement yesterday, occupied the fortified section of Mount Mouritich, opposite Tarabosch.

Goes to the Frontier.

Sofia, Oct. 17.—King Ferdinand with his staff has left for the headquarters of the Bulgarian army on the Turkish frontier. It is believed he will issue a proclamation to the nation or make a formal declaration of war from that point.

Two Hundred Tribesmen Killed.

Belgrade, Servia, Oct. 17.—Two hundred Arnaut tribesmen were killed today in a battle with Servian troops from Tier, near Pricholi, in the northern part of Sanjak Novipazar. The tribesmen attacked but were repulsed by Servians. King Peter left to-day for Nish.

The Servian government has instructed its ministers at European capitals to lay before the powers details of the Turkish invasion of the Servian territory.

All the Belgrade newspapers are full of the details of the massacres of the Servians on the other side of the frontier. Priests were the chief victims.

GUILLOTINE AT WORK IN COMMONS

CURTAILING DEBATE ON HOME RULE BILL

London Truth Complains of Partisan Character of Hon. W. Long's Canadian Tour

London, Oct. 17.—Bonar Law's amendment to the closure motion was defeated in the House of Commons. Premier Asquith announced that when his closure rule was carried he would devote two days extra for the two committee stages.

The prophecy made by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Lloyd George, on Friday night last, when he declared that the guillotine would have to be applied to the debate on the Home Rule question, came true yesterday, when for the first time the guillotine was actually brought into force. By its application discussion on twelve important amendments to the bill were prevented.

Touring Conservatives.

Truth draws attention to-day to the partisan character of Right Hon. Walter H. Long's Canadian tour and points out that Mr. Long is not the only one to make a trip to the Dominion this autumn on behalf of the English Conservative party.

"There was a time," declares Truth, "when Canadians were apt to complain of the English indifference, but that was at a time when Canada made the most progress in developing her own political institutions.

"There was no attempt to induce Canadians to identify themselves with party interests here until Joseph Chamberlain carried Conservatives to the protectionist cause. No conceivable good can come to Canada from attempts to turn the Dominion into a field of propaganda for home politics."

DEFAMATORY LIBEL.

Kamloops, B. C., Oct. 17.—John B. Daniell, editor of the Fort George Herald, was found guilty of defamatory libel against George J. Hammond, by the jury at the conclusion of the assizes after a three days' trial, and sentenced by Justice Morrison to the time he had already spent in custody and requested by the court to make a manly apology to Mr. Hammond.

COL. ROOSEVELT IS IMPROVING

Former President is Planning Continuation of His Campaign Trip

Chicago, Ills., Oct. 17.—Six physicians this morning found Col. Roosevelt's condition as near normal as that of a wounded man could be. They gave renewed assurances and said there was no cause whatever for worry.

Col. Roosevelt felt so much improved upon awakening to-day that he began planning the continuation of his campaign trip. Most of last night he spent in restful sleep.

The most reassuring bulletin yet issued by physicians concerning Col. Roosevelt's condition was given at 1 o'clock as follows:

"Pulse, temperature and respiration normal. Breathing seems easier."

STRIFE DELAYS OPENING OF HOUSE

MINISTERS AT VARIANCE ON NAVAL QUESTION

Report That String Will Be Attached to Canada's Proposed Contribution

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—A meeting of the cabinet council was held yesterday, and when it was over it was stated that the date of the assembling of parliament had not yet been fixed. The delay in the announcement has led to the revival of the report that the House will not meet until January. It is probable, however, that no definite decision has as yet been arrived at.

The report that Hon. F. D. Monk will resign before the House meets has been revived. The report naturally is connected with the consideration of the naval question, it being asserted in some quarters that the Minister of Public Works desires to have the proposal to grant an emergency contribution to the exchequer to be submitted to the plebiscite of the Canadian people.

It is stated that the proposal which Premier Borden will submit to his cabinet is the immediate contribution of $30,000,000 and the repeal of the Laurier naval act. This will constitute the temporary policy of the government, the permanent policy to be brought down later.

Whatever truth there may be in the report that Mr. Monk may retire, it would appear that there is something under the surface that is delaying the announcement of the date of the opening of parliament. In both political and official circles the impression is gradually growing stronger that there is at least an even chance that parliament will not convene until January.

A decision to defer the opening until the later date would be pleasing to the majority of the western and maritime members, many of whom have, within the past couple of months, expressed the desire that there should be no November session with a long recess over Christmas and New Year's, which makes it necessary for them to either take a long trip to their homes or remain in Ottawa with nothing to do for a period of three weeks.

Naval Proposals.

Montreal, Oct. 17.—The De Voir publishes a special dispatch from Ottawa declaring that it is learned from the best possible sources that the naval policy of the government amounts to this:

Repeal of the Laurier naval act and the sending of the Niobe and the Rainbow back to England.

An emergency contribution of $20,000,000 or $30,000,000 without appeal to the people.

A declaration that the permanent policy will be preceded by the consulting of the people and that any permanent contribution must be conditional upon representation in the councils of the Empire.

The first proposal is designed by opponents of the Laurier naval act; the second to satisfy the jingoes, and the third to console the Imperialists who favor the contribution but without effective representation. It would give the jingoes the consolation of thinking that, the precedent having been made, they could always, by inventing new emergencies, secure new contributions without representation and without consulting the people.

GOES TO PENITENTIARY.

Toronto, Oct. 17.—Dominico Rossi, an Italian, was sent to the penitentiary for three years by Justice Denton for slashing a fellow countryman with a razor.

GIRLS RESCUED FROM BURNING BUILDING

Employees of London Printing Firm Fight for Places on Fire Escapes

London, Oct. 17.—With five storeys ablaze before the arrival of the brigade, and one hundred panic-stricken girls wedged on the fire escapes, the printing shop of Messrs. Eyre & Spottiswoode, Limited, King's printers, was burnt to the ground yesterday afternoon, after one of the most sensational fires of the present year.

The fire was not noticed until it had a good hold on the second and third storeys of the building, which were not used to a great extent by the firm.

Immediately upon the alarm being given, the girls on the upper floors made a wild rush for the fire escapes, and in a moment were trampling each other in their rush to safety.

Many were the distressing scenes witnessed by an immense crowd that had gathered below as the girls fought to save themselves.

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TIMELY RESCUE.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Oct. 17.—Oscar Hovey Alton, captain of the International Paper company's barge Harris, was rescued from going over the falls by W. J. Luce and two laborers employed on the Schlosser docks and pits. Hovey was returning from Schlosser's dock to his boat when his yawl capsized. For almost half an hour he clung to the craft, drifting slowly downstream toward the falls. Two workmen saw his plight and notified Luce. He set out in his launch to the rescue and caught Hovey just as the yawl drifted past the foot of Parson's island.

Hovey was almost exhausted. The Yawl drifted downstream and over the falls.

ORE PRODUCTION CONTINUES HEAVY

Kootenay and Boundary Shipments for Year to Date Total 1,928,812 Tons

Nelson, Oct. 17.—Boundary ore shipments, practically all of which were from low grade copper mines, last week topped the 40,000-ton mark. Of this total the Granby's output accounted for over 25,000 tons and the British Columbia Copper Company smelted over 13,000 tons. Ore production in the Kootenay and Boundary districts totalled 50,337 tons, making 1,928,812 tons for the year to date. Smelter receipts for the week were 44,890 tons, and for the year to date 1,748,436 tons.

A feature of the receipts at Trail smelter was a shipment of 118 tons from the Snowstorm mine at Larsen, Idaho, a property which is believed never previously to have shipped to a Canadian smelter.

Silver-lead producers continued to keep up their heavy production. The Standard shipped 235 tons; the Sullivan 518 tons; the Bluebell 181 tons of concentrates; the Hudson Bay 88 tons; the Emerald, 109 tons.

Another Nelson property, the well known Venus mine, has resumed operations under the management of A. H. Gracey, who has taken a lease and bond from the Toronto company which owns the mine. The Venus adjoins the Athabasca. Work on a lower tunnel, which will give a depth of about 500 feet has been commenced.

The Lucky Jim mine at Bear Lake is shipping an average of 1,000 tons of 50 per cent. zinc to American smelters in Colorado and Michigan.

Ore production for the various districts and smelter were:

East Kootenay production—Week, 1,012 tons; year, 34,689 tons.

Rossland production—Week, 4,544 tons; year, 188,495 tons.

Boundary production—Week, 40,943 tons; year, 1,574,326 tons.

Slocan and Ainsworth production—Week, 2,242 tons; year, 85,614 tons.

Nelson production—Week, 1,556 tons; year, 45,688 tons.

British Columbia Copper Company's receipts: Greenwood—Week, 13,283 tons; year, 518,271 tons.

Granby smelter receipts: Grand Forks—Week, 25,814 tons; year, 987,417 tons.

Consolidated Company's receipts: Trail—Week, 5,783 tons; year, 242,748 tons.

LAW WILL BE STRINGENT.

London, Oct. 17.—Following the report of the committee to a mass meeting dealing with the white slave traffic in England, a deputation to-day awaited upon Home Secretary McKenna, urging that strong measures be taken by the government to wipe out the degrading white slave traffic in the United Kingdom.

Replying Mr. McKenna declared that the government was firmly determined to pass a bill this session which would give the police unlimited power to cope with the growing evil, and to make wholesale arrests.

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C. N. R. EXPENDITURES IN THIS PROVINCE

Total Disbursements for Month of September Will Total $1,454,000

Vancouver, Oct. 17.—All records for expenditure in connection with construction work on the C. N. R. on Vancouver Island and on the British Columbia mainland were smashed during September. According to the estimates prepared at the executive offices in this city the total disbursements for that month will reach a total of $1,454,000, as compared with $1,100,000 during August.

The figures comprise payments to railway contractors as well as general engineering expenses. There are now on contractors' payrolls and in the engineering service of the railroad company a total of over 6,000 men, the largest number employed in any one month since construction work was started several years ago. A good many more millions will be expended before the new line is linked up with the prairie section.

DARING BANDITS.

Hold-Up Street Car in Portland and Wound Two Passengers Who Offer Resistance.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 17.—Three robbers held up a crowded electric car on First street, between Arthur and Carruthers streets, here, shooting and slightly injuring two passengers when a show of resistance was made. The noise of the shots attracted people in the street and the robbers were frightened away, escaping with practically no loot. The trio boarded the car at the intersection of First and Arthur streets. One jumped on the front end and the other two on the rear. While one kept the motorman under cover, a second stood guard over the passengers, while the third started to rob the conductor. One of the passengers made a move as if to draw a weapon, at which the robber fired twice. One bullet struck the passenger who had made the move, the second striking the man next to him in the arm. The robbers, who escaped, are believed to have been foreigners.

BOOTH MEMORIAL.

Salvation Army Will Erect Training College at Toronto.

Toronto, Oct. 17.—It was announced last night at the finish of the thirtieth annual congress of the Salvation Army, that a training college would be erected in Toronto by the Salvation Army of Canada as a memorial to the late General William Booth, founder of the organization. It will be the only training college of the Army in Canada.

IMPERIAL PREFERENCE.

Duke of Westminster Says Steps Must Be Taken to Bring About Tariff Reform.

London, Oct. 17.—A distinguished company gathered for the inaugural dinner of the thousand-pound Imperial fund, the object of which is a fund for the promotion of Imperial unity in every possible way, but primarily its work is to encourage tariff reform and imperial preference.

The Duke of Westminster, who presided, pointed out that the fund was not intended for class warfare and spoliation but for reconstructing the social and political system on an Imperial basis. Delay was a dangerous thing for England, he observed.

"We cannot expect the overseas dominions to continue to give a valuable preference over every other nation for no return. Our opportunity is now, and we shall never have it again. The present effort must be looked upon merely as the nucleus of a fund which may become a great Imperial fund, the income of which will be used for further imperial unity by assisting the work of numerous agencies which already exist.

"The immediate need is the unification of the empire by tariff reform and a system of imperial preferences. Therefore, we propose to devote the present funds to achieving the most necessary and more urgent aim."

CLOSES TOUR OF CANADIAN WEST

Duke of Connaught Regards Receptions With Feelings of Gratification

Poplar Point, Man., Oct. 17.—The reception accorded to the Duke of Connaught, the Duchess and Princess Patricia yesterday afternoon was the closing official event of the Western Canadian tour of their Royal Highnesses, of which the first was the visit to Sault Ste. Marie.

In his speech at Portage la Prairie, in reply to the civic address of welcome, the Duke referred to the knowledge of Western Canada which the tour had given him—a tour which has extended over the whole West, and whose turning point was the Alaskan boundary on the Pacific Coast.

The Governor-General, after Mayor Garland had read the address of welcome, said:

"From here onward my journey lies only through country which I already know. Portage la Prairie may, therefore, be said to be the end of my travels for this year, and that is why I wish to say at this point what a pleasure this journey through the great West has been to me. When I return to my home in Ottawa, I shall often look back to the receptions I have met with at every point along the route with feelings of gratification at having got to know so many of your people and at having seen so many different places, but yet with a thought of regret at the immense difficulty of keeping pace with the Dominion in its growth. To do so, I can only assure you that to know Canada well, to sympathize with its disappointments—in fact, to identify myself with it in every possible way—is my endeavor, not only as a matter of duty, but as a labor of love, and I pray that during the time I have the honor to represent the King here as Governor-General, the Dominion may continue unabated in the course of prosperity it now enjoys."

After the presentation of the leading citizens and their wives and the inspection of the veterans, the Boy Scouts and the Cadets by the Duke, the royal party was taken on a motor tour about town. At 5 o'clock the royal train took its departure. The run to this place, where their Royal Highnesses spent the night on board the train, was made in twenty-five minutes.

LOGGER'S FATAL INJURIES.

Fatality Occurs After Companion's Advice Had Been Resented.

Vancouver, Oct. 17.—An inquest was held here into the death of a logger who died at the Rock Bay hospital on October 3 as the result of injuries received at Whitman's logging camp, eight miles from Rock Bay on October 1.

The name of the dead man was supposed to be J. Cook, but a compatriot named B. H. Nelson, stated that while that was what he was called in the lumber woods, in the Old Country they called him Cook John Erickson.

Nelson said that he was with Erickson when the accident happened. They had felled three trees and at the fourth tree he told Erickson that he should have undercut more to the right. As Erickson told him that he was an old logger and knew his business Nelson had nothing more to say. The tree in falling struck another, breaking off the dead top, which fell on Erickson and badly injured him in the chest. Nelson was struck also, but was not injured. Erickson was sent to the hospital.

A certificate of death was submitted from the doctor of the Rock Bay hospital, and a verdict of accidental death was brought in by the jury.

FENIAN VETERAN'S DEATH.

William Smith Acquitted of Charge of Having Caused Death of George Green.

Owen Sound, Ont., Oct. 17.—After deliberating for forty-four minutes, the jury found William Smith not guilty of murdering George Green, a Fenian Raid veteran, 65 years old, who died September 17, from injuries received September 12.

The chief witness against Smith was Green's wife, who swore that Green ordered Smith from their house. She did not see Smith strike Green, but found the latter lying unconscious when she returned after going to call the police. She admitted that her husband was subject to fits and weakness, in which he was liable to fall headlong.

WILL KEEP OUT STANDARD OIL CO.

National Concern to Control Wholesale Business in Germany

Berlin, Oct. 17.—A government bill aimed at the Standard Oil Company is announced in the official Norddeutsche Allegemeine Zeitung. The provisions of the bill are intended to bar that company from the wholesale business in illuminating oils in Germany, which is to be entrusted to a national stock company operating under government supervision. This form has been chosen by the government as being superior to that of a state monopoly.

The new company is to be empowered to acquire the existing wholesale oil plants and stocks by expropriation if necessary.

The capital of the new company is to be furnished partly by the big German banks and partly by open subscriptions. The banks are to be given registered shares and an increased voting power in order to prevent any attempt that may be made to obtain foreign control. The life of the corporation is fixed at thirty years.

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UNDERBID AMERICANS.

British Firms Will Manufacture Shells for United States Navy.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 17.—A contract for part of the armor-piercing shells for the United States navy on which the Hatfield Steel Company, of England, recently underbid all American competitors by nearly $200,000 on less than a million dollar contract for two thousand fourteen-inch shells, and by about $300,000 on a contract of about one million dollars for 2,500 twelve-inch shells will be awarded to the English concern, it was announced yesterday by acting Secretary Winthrop. Just how many shells will be made by the English company has not been decided, but it is stated only enough will be contracted for to serve as a test.

OFFERS TO GUARD ROOSEVELT.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Frank James, said to be a brother of Jesse James, offered his services as a member of the bodyguard for Col. Roosevelt yesterday. In a message to the colonel, James said: "Offer my services as one of 100 men as bodyguard for the remainder of the campaign. Choose for yourself and allow me to name myself, making one hundred. Would choose no one who is not willing to go into eternal darkness for you if necessary."

ATTACKED BY STRIKERS.

McGill, Nev., Oct. 17.—Two wagons loaded with provisions for the loyal men within Steptoe smelter enclosure were attacked by strikers yesterday. The teams were stampeded and drivers and guards pelted with sticks and stones. Although clubs were used freely and several shots fired no one was injured seriously.

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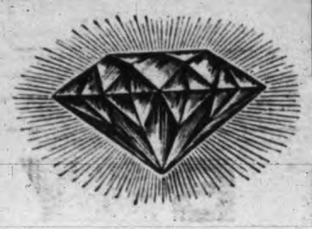

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Lethbridge, Alta., Oct. 17.—The inability of some of the exhibitors from the States and from afar to get their exhibits here in time to install them for the proposed opening of the Dry Farming Congress has necessitated the postponement of the formal opening until Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

The exposition committee and the executives of the board of control have discussed the advisability of this move at length and have conferred with the exhibitors, and finding the sentiment in favor of putting off the opening until the first of the week, have done so.

The exposition promises to be one of the greatest affairs of the kind ever held in Canada and the management through the board of control have decided to charge the general public an admission to the grounds.

WIDOW OF MURDERED GAMBLER TESTIFIES

Becker Said Debt Was Wiped Out After Raid on Rosenthal's Gambling Place

New York, Oct. 17.—The widow of Gambler Herman Rosenthal, whose murder is charged to Police Lieutenant Becker, testified at Becker's trial yesterday that she had seen her husband pay money to "Bald Jack" Rose, known as the lieutenant's "collector," and that when Rosenthal died he left scarcely money enough to bury him.

"It had to be Herman or me," she said Becker told her after the raid on her husband's gambling place.

"Tell Herman that the debt is square," Becker told her. "He doesn't owe me now that $1,500 I loaned him."

Mrs. Rosenthal was dressed entirely in black and wore a flowing veil of crepe. She was pale as she got the oath, but she stepped to the witness chair without assistance, sat down and folded her hands in her lap.

With a quick glance over the men in the jury box she faced Assistant District Attorney Moss, ready for the examination.

"Were you the wife of Herman Rosenthal?" asked Mr. Moss. "I was," she replied.

Mrs. Rosenthal said she had seen Lieut. Becker several times. Once was at the Elks' club last Thanksgiving evening. She had seen him again on New Year's Eve at the same place.

"Did you hear the conversation between your husband and Becker?" "I did not," she replied almost in a whisper.

"At the New Year's Eve meeting," she continued, "Mr. Becker came over to our table and put his arm around Herman's neck. Becker asked: 'Well, Herman, how's things?'

"'Not very well,' Herman said. 'Don't worry,' Mr. Becker answered, 'everything will be all right.'

"Then Mr. Becker turned to me and said that he was ready to do anything for my husband at any hour of the day or night. He said he would always be at my husband's service."

Mrs. Rosenthal said she knew that Becker and her husband had "business transactions" and that she had learned their nature from Becker at her home. This was about the middle of last April, she added, when Becker caused a raid to be made on her husband's gambling house. Becker was in the house at the time, she said.

"I heard a hammering on the door and went down to let them in before they broke the door in. I could not find the key and went upstairs to see Mr. Becker.

"I said to Mr. Becker: 'For heaven's sake what does this mean?'

"Mr. Becker said: 'It's to be Herman or me.' Then I went downstairs with him and said: 'Don't let them break down the house. Don't let them destroy my furniture.' He said: 'Tell Herman that debt is off. I'll go down and tell that man to call it off as Herman and I are square and he doesn't owe me that $1,500.'

"I said: 'What man?' He said: 'Never mind what man. Herman knows.'"

Mrs. Rosenthal told of having seen her husband pass money to Jack Rose, Becker's alleged collector, and said Rosenthal left scarcely enough money to bury him.

Gamblers, and not Police Lieutenant Charles Becker, instigated the murder of Herman Rosenthal, according to the line of defence indicated by counsel for the accused officer.

A large sum of money raised by gamblers was paid to get Rosenthal out of New York when he began to "squeal" on the subject of police protection, and when he took the money and then refused to go, the gamblers, threatened by the loss of their protection, plotted and executed his murder through the agency of four gunmen.

At least such was the outline of the defence implied by questions put by John F. McIntyre, Becker's counsel, to Sam Scheppes on the witness stand.

Scheppes was not given an opportunity to say whether he had knowledge that such was the origin of the murder plot, for Justice Goff excluded the question.

Scheppes' part in the plot was that of messenger for Rose in rounding up the gunmen, but he denied that he knew the killing of Rosenthal was on foot.

"When this sensation blows over the public will give me a pension for killing Rosenthal." These are the words attributed to Becker by Jas. D. Hallen, his fellow-prisoner at the Tombs.

Members of the household of Jack Rose, Becker's alleged graft collector, told of frequent visits of the accused police official to Rose's home. Rose's Swedish maid testified that Becker used to breakfast with her master "every day since Christmas."

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"I cannot communicate conversations between the postmaster-general of Canada and myself on this and other important matters," said Mr. Samuel. He also stated that the governments of New Zealand and Australia were satisfied with the arrangement under the present Marconi system, whereby all messages will be taxed 10 per cent. on the cost over the greater part of the distance from the Dominions.

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LAURIER IN ONTARIO.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, having completed the Ontario itinerary arranged as a preliminary canter before the assembling of parliament, has found out many things that cause the government and the organs of the Conservative party not a little uneasiness. It must be conceded that, whatever other provinces may do in the prospective appeal to the electorate of the Dominion, public sentiment in Ontario will be the determining factor in settling the future of the Borden administration. It was essential that Sir Wilfrid should know something of this sentiment at first hand after being a year in the opposition. He therefore selected seven strategic points in the old province, and the triumphal tour from East to West and back to East again has shown that his hand has not lost its cunning, that neither does his tongue cleave to the roof of his mouth.

What has been chiefly valuable in Sir Wilfrid's tour is the rallying effect which it had upon the old Liberal forces. These have been cheered, and if in the past they have depended too much upon the magic personality of Laurier to win their battles, they are now enthusiastically aligned to do battle for themselves. Conservatives, on the other hand, must remember that this Ontario in which Laurier has been almost idolized during the whole two weeks, is the same Ontario in which, just a short year ago, he was the victim of a cyclone of animosity. It is already fairly clear that the passions aroused by deft appeals to religious and racial prejudices exhausted their dynamic force in that one destructive outburst, and that Ontario is rather ashamed of itself for having given way to blind and unreasoning wrath.

No one can fail to admire the frankness and disingenuousness with which Sir Wilfrid Laurier's addresses have conjured up memories of the things in Canadian life which must forever stand identified with the Laurier regime. The National Transcontinental railway, the British preference, and last, but most important of all in the up-springing of Canada's nationhood, the Laurier naval policy. People have seen these set in their proper prospective and the reaction from the frothy and sentimental campaign of a year ago has been tremendously significant.

It is safe to say that Sir Wilfrid will meet the next session with a clear and unmistakable purpose and with the confidence that he need make no specious or apologetic appeals. His strength will be in the frankness and logical force with which he confronts the government and exposes the shams upon which it is temporarily established. The rest can be safely left to the people of Canada. When these have another opportunity to pronounce upon the vital issues affecting the nation they will not be swayed by unscrupulous appeals nor frightened by bogey imaginings.

THE BALKAN SITUATION.

The bargain concluded between Italy and Turkey defining the African territory over which the authority of Italy is to be regarded as supreme has been sealed by an agreement under the terms of which these two nations, at war for the past year, have ceased hostilities. The Turko-Italian war is a matter of history, Italy having still to subjugate the Arab and other Moslem tribes in the hinterland of the territory acquired. The incident, though by no means of trifling importance in itself, assumes greater significance in view of the fact that it leaves Turkey free to handle the situation which has arisen in the Balkan states. The Balkan peninsula from the Danube to the Bosphorus will be the theatre of a bitter war, in which the hate, on one hand, and the struggle for liberty on the other, that have caused a quarter of a century of unrest in Europe, will find their probable culmination.

The four little states, Greece, Bulgaria, Servia and Montenegro, have taken it upon themselves to defy the Ottoman empire. They form an almost unbroken line from the Black Sea to the Adriatic, sheltered by the Balkan mountains. The four states have formed a coalition which is one of the most surprising features of the situation. Formerly parts of the Ottoman empire, these several states fought for and secured their individual liberty, backed as they were by several powers. That the racial and national prejudices characterizing these people should have been subjugated; that they should have been harmonized into a common purpose and the zeal underlying their former internecine differences should have been directed toward a common cause, has been one of the surprises of modern European development. This achievement has been reached by the sending of teachers of statecraft throughout the Balkans, and these have been spreading the theories of enlightened government and of political liberty long ago formulated by Servian statesmen. The result has been that the states which since 1878 have been driven in harness by the diplomats of Europe have taken the bit into their teeth and resolved upon so much independence as will at least free them from Ottoman influence and the persistent raids, plunderings and slaughters resulting from their ill-defined position.

Just now the powers do not want this war, and in view of the undoubted altruistic purposes which animate the conspiring states, it is difficult to see why this is the case. Perhaps it is the question of territorial acquisition which interests the powers of Europe, for, back of the alleged purpose of these states to solidify the racial interests of their people still within the Ottoman empire, there can be no denying their ambition for an extension of national autonomy to the lands occupied by their people in Turkish territory.

Mose people outside of Europe, and doubtless many of the common people within the continent, would like to see these countries settle their differences at any cost by a show of strength and a succession of pitched battles until no remnant of the warring factions would be left. This is, admittedly, the cold-blooded view of the situation. But the strife has been so long drawn out; the warring factions appear so irreconcilable; the racial and religious intolerance appears so fixed and immovable; the ends of diplomacy have been so unsatisfactory to the world at large, that a settlement of the whole question, even at the cost of the annihilation of some of these nations, would bring a sigh of relief.

Released from the war in Africa, Turkey will be able to muster an army somewhat more numerous than the combined war footing of the belligerent states. Being on the defensive, she will have something of an advantage over the allied aggressive armies of the Balkans. On the other hand, it is not likely that the Balkan states are acting precipitately. The surprise sprung upon Europe may not have been any surprise to themselves. The coalition is itself a tremendous achievement, and none can yet tell how thoroughly the organizers of this combined revolt may have performed their work.

Those familiar with the massacres in Crete and Macedonia during the last decade will earnestly hope that the present embroglio will result in the clearing up and modernization of the whole hotbed of racial and religious strife in the only uncivilized and barbarous part of Europe.

ANOTHER SIDELIGHT.

The chief government organ this morning came to the defence of the Premier respecting the statement of the latter that $12,000,000 of the "liquid" assets of the province inhere in the sums due from land sales. The argument used by our esteemed contemporary is worthy of the financial genius of that paper. It asserts that because the land sold, but not paid for, is worth all that, and more than, is due the government on account of its purchase, the term "liquid asset" is justified. It has a suspicion that if "the land were put up for sale it would bring a higher price" than it cost. The land has been "up for sale" for a long time and it has not brought a higher price than it cost, and it is, therefore, not paid for. If because the land is worth more than the government sold it for its present value is to be reckoned as a "liquid asset," we have a system of financing the province which is worthy of no one more than the Colonist and Sir Richard McBride. But why stop at this when liquid assets are to be computed? The government still possesses lands unalienated which are worth what the government asks for these lands. Why not, because they are worth what they would "cost," reckon them also as liquid assets? Why not compute the value of all the other natural resources of the province and figure them in the budget and in the Premier's self-laudatory speeches as liquid assets? They are as much so as the $12,000,000 due the government on account of land sales. We suggest to our contemporary that it consult a merchant, banker or even a newsboy, as to the general understanding of the term liquid assets, and when it has found out the technical definition of the term let it be whispered to Sir Richard McBride, so that he may not again delude the inexperienced in finance as to the fiduciary standing of the treasury.

The chief government organ makes another statement to which we think the attention of the public should be directed. It says that very little of the land sold by the government, for which $12,000,000 is now due, was sold above $5 per acre. It argues that, because "similar lands" are now held at double that value, the security of the "asset" is good. Why not again "double" the value of the Crown lands and make the security still greater? This is the peculiar logic of finance by which the Colonist defends its patron when Sir Richard McBride makes a statement not warranted by the ordinary use of financial terms.

Land is worth—to a government or to anyone else—what it will bring in the open market and under forced sale. How much would these millions of acres bring in "cash" to-morrow if the government were compelled to auction them? When that sum is exactly or approximately computed, the amount of "liquid" in the "assets" of the government account will be correctly disclosed. According to the logic of the Colonist, all that it is necessary for the government to do in order to safeguard the financial interests of the province is to double the "price" of Crown lands. The "value" of these lands cannot be fixed by any government. They are governed by the law of supply and demand, and at present there is no demand for these lands at the "price" asked by the speculative holders.

The statement that the government "has doubled the price of similar lands" has a sinister suggestion. As the Colonist admits, most of the land for which $12,000,000 is now due was sold "before" the government doubled the prince of "similar" lands. Was it, then, the intention of the government, in doubling the price of Crown lands, to force the would-be settler to buy up the lands that had already been alienated to speculators? Was this order-in-council doubling the price of lands made for the express purpose of compelling immigrants, settlers and other purchasers, to take the load of debt for lands off the backs of the speculators in preference to buying direct from the government? It looks mightily like this.

It will be admitted that the Colonist is one of the most successful defenders of the plundering and prodigal policy of the McBride administration. It is such because it is unscrupulous in the use of terms and not very careful of its veracity. But that unapproachable genius of government defence did to-day make the mistake of telling the public why the government doubled the price of Crown lands without warning to the people. The demonstration is as complete as it is satisfactory. The public has at last found out what was never before clear.

The editor of a religious paper has started a discussion by the question, "Shall we shoot our old preachers?" Equally fatal results might be secured by suddenly doubling their salaries.

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A judicially-minded expert on the subject of tobacco has announced that it is a "breeder of immorality" and one of the chief "provocatives of the white slave evil." It is a good thing to know this before the smoking habit has become in any degree common.

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According to the government press, reciprocity is again dead in the West. Which reminds us of the politician who met Jones and inquired solicitously after his health and the health of his wife. "Oh, my wife," said Jones with a sigh, "my wife is dead, alas!" When the politician met Jones six months later he again solicitously inquired after his wife's health. "Still dead," was the laconic reply.

EMBARRASSING.

The Argonaut.

Senator Borah was talking at a dinner in Boise about an embarrassing question that had been asked at Chicago.

"The question," he said, smiling, "went unanswered. It was like little Willie's query. A young gentleman was spending the week-end at little Willie's cottage at Atlantic City, and on Sunday evening after dinner, there being a scarcity of chairs on the crowded piazza, the young gentleman took Willie on his lap.

"Then during a pause in the conversation little Willie looked up at the young gentleman and piped: 'Am I as heavy as sister Mabel?'"

USEFUL AGE.

From the Argonaut.

That a man is not too old to work after he is 60 years of age is proved by the figures just made public by the Pennsylvania Railroad, which has in active service 4,717 employees who are between the ages of 60 and 70. Under the road's pension system, an employee may retire at the age of 70, and there are now 172 men receiving pensions who have served 40 years or more in the company's service. But there are even more active employees than that who have worked for the road 40 years or longer, the total number being 20,940.

OR ABOLITION OF CHAMBER.

From the Hamilton Herald.

Pretty soon Premier Borden will have to appoint eight new Senators. He will please a few political supporters, but he will disappoint many more and make a lot of political enemies. You would suppose that he would be in favor of the election of Senators.

For your kitchen range, try a ton of our

NUT COAL

This fuel is every bit as good as the lump coal that you are using. It is much easier to handle than the lump, and gives a bright, clean and economical fire. Let your next order be for Nut.

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J. C. M'INTOSH TO DEFEND SOO QUON

Friends of Chinese Say Accused Commenced Giving Away All His Money

Soo Quon, the Chinese held for the murder of Lue Mock Gun, was placed in the dock of the police court this morning for a preliminary hearing by means of which the police magistrate is to determine if there is sufficient evidence to send the accused before the assize court judge to answer to a charge of murder. The hearing was incomplete to-day owing to the absence of Dr. R. L. Fraser, who is to testify to the injuries of the deceased. Dr. Fraser's evidence is to be taken on Saturday morning and the case will then, as far as the police court is concerned, be at an end. The witnesses called this morning repeated the evidence given at the inquest where the charge of murder was found against the accused. The fireman of the mill and the foreman told of having found the injured man, and of how the accused had gone into the engine room and struck with an axe and then jumped twenty-five feet from the wharf to the water. The mill foreman of the Leigh's mill told of rescuing the Chinese from the water, and Inspector Clayards reported the arrest of accused at the mill, and the conveyance of the injured man to the hospital.

J. C. McIntosh represents the accused, having been retained by Soo Quon's relatives and friends. Mr. McIntosh has been present at both appearances of the accused in court, having been engaged immediately the man was arrested. He confined himself this morning to watching the interests of the accused, and was brief in his questions to the court and the witnesses. Mr. McIntosh will probably reserve his evidence for the higher court, as the defence will be insanity, and it is claimed by the accused's friends that they will be able to prove the man insane.

Shortly before he committed the crime, a few days before, in fact, Soo Quon's insanity became apparent, according to the statements of his friends. He commenced giving away all his money, they say, and they, therefore, hold him irresponsible.

Two tins of tomatoes were the cause of Thomas Wilson going to jail because the magistrate would not believe he did not steal them, while Edward Moss, who was similarly charged, told a straight story that reflected innocence, and was discharged.

SWIFTS WILL STAY HERE?

Store Street Property Purchased and Permission Granted for Railway Spur.

The Canadian Swift Packing Company has no intention of abandoning the corner of Store and Telegraph streets, where a spur track from the E. & N. Railway was authorized early in the year, which has the approval of the railway commissioners.

It was stated at Monday night's council meeting that the company had abandoned their intention of building there, and hence the spur would not be required. The local manager, Mr. Pearson, said this morning that the company had no intention of allowing the grant obtained to lapse, and would build as soon as the circumstances warranted. It would be a substantial building, thoroughly up-to-date and with modern refrigerator plant, and would be erected in due course.

WATERWORKS OFFICES.

Will Also Be Located in Fairfield Block With Doctor's Office.

Arising out of the finance committee's report to the city council on Monday a misunderstanding has undoubtedly arisen with regard to the offices of the water collector. The offices will be moved with those of the medical officer to the Fairfield building, on the ground floor, and the room upstairs at the city hall now used for the health officer will be employed as a committee room.

It was thought that the intention would be to place the collector's room upstairs, but owing to the hundreds of persons who monthly use the present office for paying bills, it is essential that the offices should be conveniently located on the ground floor, which will be possible at the Fairfield block, and will also relieve the pressure at the city hall.

In the sixteenth century the blades of table knives bore on one side the musical notes of the "grace before meat," and on the other side those of the "grace after meat."

A Very Special Showing of Opera Cloaks and Wraps at Prices Ranging From $20.00 to $250

PRACTICALLY every style that has become popular in New York or Paris is to be found in this showing, and the range of colors, materials and styles of trimmings is so large that it is almost impossible for a woman to go away without finding a garment that will suit her taste as well as her pocket. Prominent among the colors are white, pinks, fawns, pale blues, cream, greens in various shades, cerise, browns, reds and shot effects.

Fine, smooth cloths, velvets, shot silks, brocaded effects, etc., are the most popular materials but we have others if you prefer them. Some are made in the decided coat style and others come in the wrap cut. The pannier and the one-sided effects are in great favor this season, and here you will find them well represented.

Pointed collars trimmed in a variety of styles, deep round collars that fasten close up to the neck and a few new lines that come with wide ruchings on the collars and at the bottom of the garments, making them resemble the Queen Elizabeth style should command much attention.

We cannot do justice to these beautiful garments in this announcement, but we invite you to visit the show rooms and see the garments for yourself, try them on and see how they will suit you.

The Men's Clothing Section Offers Some Splendid Values for Friday's Shoppers

SUITS WORTH $15.00 TO GO AT $12.50
OVERCOATS WORTH $18.00 AND $20.00 MARKED AT $12.50
WAISTCOATS, $1.25 AND $1.50
STRONG TWEED AND CORDUROY TROUSERS, $1.50 TO $2.50

WITH some many excellent values, and such a large variety of garments to choose from, this department should be an unusually busy centre this week-end.

This season, we have made very heavy purchases and having very little storage space we have purposely marked them at a very close margin of profit to make a rapid sale of the goods. We feel that if it is possible to turn over more goods in a short space of time, even at a small profit, the department will make a better showing at the end of the season than it would if we marked the goods at the regular percentage of profit and held our stock for a longer period. Here are some of the values that deserve special attention.

MEN'S SUITS, made of good tweeds in mixed shades of browns, greys and greens are to be had in all the latest styles and patterns for winter wear. They come in both the single and double breasted sack styles and have trousers cut in the semi-pegtop style. Semi-fitting styles are included and the tailoring is all that a particular man could desire to find in the best suit that he ever saw marked at $15, but we are selling them at a saving that is nearly equal to the wages you can make in a day. Price, only **$12.50**

MEN'S OVERCOATS—Another consignment has just come in and it includes some very smart models that are really worth $18 and $20. All the newest novelties in cravenettes, beavers with velvet collars, heavy tweeds with two-way collars made up in the full length Chesterfield style, also rubbered silk coats in a wine color are here in all sizes. Some are finished with military collars and all are made to stand hard wear. Price of any of these **$12.50**

MEN'S WORK PANTS—These are made of heavy tweeds and corduroys and come in colors grey, brown and green, also in the new Oxford mixtures. They are made for long service and all sizes are to be had. Prices start at $1.50 and range up to **$2.50**

ODD VESTS FOR MEN—A large variety of tweeds are here to choose from in all the newest shades and patterns. They come in sizes from 34 to 44 and are well tailored and trimmed. Prices $1.25 to **$1.50**

Two Good Sweater Bargains for Men

AND BOTH ARE MARKED FOR QUICK SELLING AT $1.00

HERE is the best line of coat sweaters for men that you ever saw marked at $1.00, and if good garments marked at rock bottom prices is what the men of Victoria want, there should be a scramble for these on Friday morning

MEN'S COAT SWEATERS in a medium weight wool and cotton mixture. The colors are khaki trimmed with green, navy trimmed with grey, grey trimmed with khaki, and grey trimmed with green. They come in various sizes and are fine garments for the use of mechanics and others who want a serviceable sweater for the winter. Price, only **$1.00**

WOOL MIXTURE SWEATERS are here in colors grey, navy and brown. This line is fitted with roll collar and it is a quality that will stand lots of very hard wear. They are to be had in medium sizes only and are an excellent bargain for Friday's shoppers at, each **$1.00**

50 DOZEN PRINT AND CAMBRIC SHIRTS FOR MEN GO ON SALE FRIDAY

Only $1.00 for a Shirt Well Worth $1.25

IF our buyer hadn't been fortunate enough to get this lot of 50 dozen at a big price concession, this offer would have been an impossibility. A jobber, who was overstocked, let us have this lot at what our buyer calls a snap.

There are both imported and Canadian made shirts in the lot and the materials are good prints and cambrics. Being an extra heavy weight they are well suited for winter wear, are cut in the coat style and have lots of room in the body of the garment.

The garments are made with a soft bosom with the new round edge, have three inch starched cuffs and starched collar bands. The sizes are from 14 to 17 and there isn't a shirt in the lot that should be sold for less than $1.25 in the regular way. Special clearance price for Friday, and Saturday, if there are any left, each $1.00.

SEE THE SHOWING OF

Fine Silk Waists at $5.75

NOW IN THE WINDOWS

AND you will agree that they are as good as any woman could wish to buy at the price. They are the latest style for the winter and come in plain colors brown, gold, blues, etc., also in some smart striped effects.

Some are made in the one-sided effect and are handsomely finished with pipings of a contrasting color, small frills and yokes and collars of good nets.

Others are made on the evenly balanced style and are handsomely trimmed with tucks, ruchings, fancy buttons, dashes of plain materials and small frills of lace. All have long sleeves and in many cases the cuffs are very handsomely finished.

It is a difficult matter to describe these garments and do justice to them. We cannot reproduce the colors in this advertisement, and line cuts cannot show all the interesting details that go to make these garments the most distinctive that have been offered this season at the price.

A VERY SPECIAL VALUE IN

Men's Pyjamas at $1.75

THIS is an offer that will stand good for Friday and just as long as the specified quantity will hold out on Saturday but we cannot guarantee that they will last all day Saturday. They come in light fancy striped patterns, are to be had in three sizes, are as warm as wool and have none of the discomforts of wool garments. We consider that these are a bargain that shouldn't be missed by any man who has still his outfit of sleeping garments to purchase. They are the "Good Night" brand and are garments that are guaranteed to give you entire satisfaction. A very fine value at **$1.75**

A SPECIAL IN DRESS SHIRTS FOR BOYS

Finished with a starched bosom and to be had in sizes from 12 to 14. They are a bargain that will be well worth shopping early to secure on Friday morning. Price, only ..... **75¢**

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NOT MERELY A COUGH MIXTURE

Our new Emulsion cures when other remedies have failed. If yours is in any sense a chronic cough you will be interested in FERRATED EMULSION OF PURE COD LIVER OIL, HYPOPHOSPHITES, LIME AND SODA

You might not think so by the name, but it is as palatable as it is efficient. $1.00 per bottle.

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The apples we sell are all No. 1 Home Grown, and here are some of the names: Canada Rennetts, Blenheim Orange, Wolf Rivers, Wealthys, Ribston Pippins, King of Tompkins. For a few days only we offer any of these at,

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60 feet on Richardson street, between Moss and Linden $4,400
5 roomed house on Finlayson street $4,200
7 roomed house on Transit road. Price $7,000

These are worth investigating.

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You'll have to go after it in the business way of today—through intelligent and impressive advertising in the classified columns. Not one in ten of the "better positions" are secured without advertising—either by the man who wants the job, or by the employer who wants the man.

NOTICE

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Estate of Louis Lanoit (Sometimes called Louis Laniox), Deceased,
and
In the Matter of the Official Administrator's Act.

Notice is hereby given that under an order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Gregory, dated the 24th day of September, A. D. 1912, I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the Estate of the above deceased.

All parties having claims against the said Estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 7th day of November, 1912, and all persons indebted to the said Estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 7th day of October, 1912.

WM. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Skates.—We grind them and they are done properly. Waites & Knapton, 610 Pandora Street. •

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Ladies' Tailor — Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, room 5, Haynes Blk., Fort street. •

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Sands & Fulton, Ltd., funeral directors, 1515 Quadra street. Phone 3306. •

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Four Per Cent.—You can deposit your money at 4 per cent. interest with The B. C. Permanent Loan Company and be able to withdraw the total amount or any portion thereof without notice. Cheques are supplied to each depositor. Paid-up capital over $1,000,000, assets over $3,000,000. assets over $3,000,000. Branch office. 1210 Government St., Victoria, B. C. •

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Hanna & Thomson, Pandora Ave.— Leading Funeral furnishing house. Connections, Vancouver, New Westminster and Winnipeg •

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Money to Loan.—We have money to loan at 8% interest on improved city residence property on easy repayment terms. Builders will do well to inquire. The B. C. Permanent Loan Co., 1210 Government St. •

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The B. C. Funeral Co., Chas. Hayward, president, are located in their new premises, 734 Broughton Street. •

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Special Notice.—Carload of shingles, extra quality received. Special prices. R. A. Green & Co. •

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S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty, 'phone, 'phones: Inspector Russell, 1921; secretary, L1723 •

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Contractors, Look!—CHOICE FIR DOORS, WINDOWS, GLASS, etc., in stock. R. A. Green & Co., Phone 3851. Shop at 1155 North Park street. Estimates free. •

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Teaming.—G. F. Biswanger, dealer in coal and teaming. 'Phone 6299. •

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Does Follow.—Mud does follow rain, but don't let it follow you into the house. Keep it out. Use a door mat. We sell cocoa fibre mats in all sizes, 40c. to $2.50. R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 1302 Douglas Street. •

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XMAS SPECIAL.—During October the Skene Lowe studio will make the finest finish corona portraits complete, in covers, for $5.75 per doz. Note regular price, $7.00; October price, $5.75. At the end of this month the price will again be $7.00. Studio cor. Yates and Douglas Sts. •

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J. R. Butler tenders his thanks to the public of Victoria who have helped him to build up the splendid furniture business at 736 and 738 Pandora street by their patronage, and regrets having to leave the stores on Pandora street to make way for civic improvements. •

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"Nag" Roof Compositions are fire-proof and add years to the life of an old roof. See Newton & Greer Co., 1326 Wharf street. •

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Umbrellas covered and repaired.—Jas. Waites, 644 Fort. Phone 446. •

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Economy Wet Wash Laundry.— Family wash, 75c. a week. Clothes returned on the following day, thoroughly washed. Phone 3339. 2612 Bridge Street. •

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Roofs made fire-proof by Newton & Greer Co., 1326 Wharf street, makers of "Nag" Roof composition. •

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Beautiful Lace Collars cost but little at Seabrook Young's new store, 623 Johnson street. Hand made Cluny lace, Nottingham, and Maltese laces to choose from. Colors white and ecru •

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Can Be Removed.—Our nice little plain glass syrup jugs have metal spring covers, that can be removed to clean. Hold about ½ pint, are clean, neat and handy, 25c, at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 1302 Douglas Street. •

Ladies don't miss this opportunity of securing your wants for yourself and children at the closing out sale at 1227 Douglas street. We are quitting business. The stock must be sold. W. G. McLaren & Co. •

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"Nag" Roof Composition, fire-proof and moss killing. See or 'phone Newton & Greer Co., 1326 Wharf street. •

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Merchants' Lunch at the Bismarck. •

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Daughters of Scotland.—Daughters of Scotland are reminded that there will be a Hallowe'en social and dance at the Foresters' hall on Friday evening, Miss Angus' orchestra having promised to attend, and every arrangement having been made to secure the enjoyment of the guests.

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Writing Magazine Stories.—The secretary of the Vancouver Island development League has several orders for stories in magazines illustrating Victoria, and among them a write-up for the Contract Record of new buildings, similar to the fine article recently given to Ottawa by that journal.

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Set Back Line.—By the adoption of the report of the Inner Harbor Association on the applications for foreshore rights in the cases of A. E. Sargison and Hutchison Brothers, the line of the proposed wharves will be set back. Their proposal would have carried them beyond the line defined by the Inner Harbor Association some months ago, and ratified since by the council. The council has recognized this line as protecting the future development of the inner harbor, whatever scheme may be adopted.

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Trades and Labor Council.—Following negotiations having in view the appointment of a legal adviser, Frank Higgins was appointed at the meeting last evening, and a legal defence committee consisting of Messrs. Barrett, Gillespie, Coldwell, Smith and Nelson were selected to supervise this section of the council's work. Each member will contribute a dollar a year towards the expense. The organization of the brewery workers continues, and a committee was appointed to attend the meeting of the brewerymen to be held next Sunday.

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Voter Wanted a Job.—Over 220 applications for registration on the household list were received at the city assessor's office to-day. One young man of swarthy skin and Italian cognomen, as soon as he had made the declaration this morning to Assistant Assessor Scowcroft, asked him promptly for a job. Mr. Scowcroft is not a dispenser of employment among his numerous duties, and equally promptly referred the applicant to the engineering department. The labor bureau is not yet organized, so that it is not possible to take further action.

THE OBSERVATORY SITE.

Chairman of Parks Committee Anxious to Accommodate Dominion Authorities.

The application for the use of the portion of Beacon Hill park for observatory purposes is strongly supported by the chairman of the parks committee, Alderman Dilworth, who believes that the city might be able to assist the government if they did not insist on a title to the property, which could not, of course, be given according to the trust deed. In a similar way the tenancy of the cricket club and bowling association is held, and there would be no attempt to disturb if satisfactory conditions were observed.

It is feared that if the city does not assist the federal authorities, the observatory will be lost to Victoria and will go to a Mainland city. It would be possible to give land at Mount Douglas, but that is too far outside the city. The other park lands of which the city has control are not suitable for the object in view.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Times, Monday, October 17, 1887.

Dublin, Oct. 17.—A. J. Balfour, chief secretary for Ireland, arrived here to-day accompanied by two detectives.

The body of Thomas Leighton, of Nanaimo, was discovered this morning cut in two on the Mill Stream trestle. It is supposed he was killed by the up-bound No. 4 on Sunday night. He was employed by R. Dunsmuir & Sons.

The Bishop of Columbia visited Chemainus on Monday and was met by Mr. H. Croft, M. P. P. The visit was in connection with the appointment of Rev. H. Springham as clergyman for the mission district of Chemainus and Salt Spring. Messrs. Croft and Angus have generously given six lots in Chemainus for a church and parsonage.

Mr. Goschen's jubilee sixpences are selling freely in London for two shillings and three pence.

The mortal remains of the late Emily Brooks were deposited in their last resting place on Sunday afternoon. The pallbearers were: W. Dorman, A. J. Smith, George Frye, T. Shotbolt, J. McB. Smith and J. R. Milne.

Mr. G. E. Hawes, agent for the Singer Sewing Machine Co., was married Saturday night to Miss Bessie Sheppard, of Wiltshire, England. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Starr, at the residence of Mr. J. P. Matthews. Mr. and Mrs. Hawes will reside at Nanaimo.

A roof fire occurred at 6.30 last night at the residence of Mrs. Thain, Fisguard and Blanchard streets. The church bells were ringing at the time and many of the firemen did not hear the alarm.

NEW TRUST BUILDING.

British American Company Will Construct Block on Fort Street Costing $35,000

An important addition to the south side of Fort street will be the new British American Trust Company's premises, for which plans were filed with the building inspector this morning.

This structure, which will have an ornamental front, is from the design of the well known Vancouver architect, A. A. Cox, and will occupy the site of the old frame house on that street between Douglas and Blanchard streets near their present premises, and will be substantially built. The cost will be in the neighborhood of $35,000, and McDonald & Wilson, of Vancouver, who have the contract for the parliament buildings extension here, will be the contractors.

Internally the building will be very handsome, and will be fitted up with all modern conveniences. The Victoria agency is at present occupying temporary premises on Fort street.

CAMPAIGNERS' DINNER.

Association Will Commemorate Centenary of the Battle of Queenston Heights.

This year at their annual dinner the British Campaigners' Association will celebrate the death of General Sir Isaac Brock at Queenston Heights, and the arrangements for the event will be made at a meeting of the association this evening at the Foresters' hall. A date for the dinner, which usually takes place in November, will be set on this occasion.

It has been the practice to call the dinners to mark some campaign and recently the campaigns in Egypt and South Africa have been commemorated. The gathering has been usually well patronized, and tickets are readily sold.

Lecture at Emmanuel Church.—Rev. H. G. Estabrooke, superintendent of Baptist missions, will lecture this evening at Emmanuel Baptist church on "Highways and Byways of British Columbia," illustrating his talk with lantern views which will make the story doubly interesting.

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Two Small Fires.—At the offices of Atkinson & Dill, in the building formerly occupied by the Westholme Company, Douglas street, a small fire occurred last night when an employee attempted to fill a lamp with oil while the lamp was alight. Damage to furniture and tools resulted in all to about $10. This morning there was a fire in the offices of S. M. Okell & Co. above the Bank of Vancouver. The smoke went down through a radiator into the bank premises and the persons there turned in a fire alarm. The fire in the offices above was in a stove. The brigade turned out but was not needed.

LEFT TO-DAY.

Sir Richard McBride Departs on His Interior Tour.

Sir Richard McBride, accompanied by R. F. Green, M. P., left this afternoon at 4.30 o'clock for the interior, and will be absent two weeks. Other ministers will join him en route. The premier's itinerary is as follows:

Saturday, Oct. 19—Morning, Fernie; evening, Cranbrook.
Monday, Oct. 21—Golden.
Tuesday, Oct. 22—Field.
Wednesday, Oct. 23—Vernon.
Thursday, Oct. 24—Revelstoke (provincial Conservative convention.)
Friday, Oct. 25—Nelson.
Saturday, Oct. 26—Creston.

Hon. W. J. Bowser will not be able to accompany the premier, owing to press of public business, but will go to Revelstoke to attend the provincial convention. The attorney-general will go to Vancouver on Friday, but will return to Victoria on Monday.

PROMINENT WHOLESALER HERE.

George L. Cains Arrives in City on Visit to Western Cities.

George L. Cains, the well known Montreal dry goods merchant, arrived in the city yesterday on his visit to coast cities. Mr. Cains holds an important position in Montreal, and is connected with a number of industrial enterprises. He was president of the Montreal Board of Trade two years ago.

Speaking of the East and West Mr. Cains said in an interview: "I note a great improvement in the relations of the East and West in the past five years. This is as it should be. The East is the natural completement of the West and the progress of the one means to a very great extent the progress of the other. Constant travel between the two has been the great factor in bringing about a closer acquaintance and a mutually helpful trade.

"The remarkable development of the West of late years and particularly British Columbia is reflected in our trade. It has increased very rapidly and in fact the object of my present visit is to make arrangements for meeting the bigger trade we do in this province. At present there is an office in Vancouver, but it has become imperative to make plans to handle a much increased business."

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 17.—5 a. m.—A storm area which developed yesterday on the Vancouver Island coast caused heavy rainfall and a southeasterly gale on the Straits and Sound. The storm has moved rapidly inland and is now central in Alberta and Saskatchewan. Rain is falling at Edmonton, but elsewhere in the prairie provinces the weather is fair with moderate temperatures.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday.

Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh westerly winds, partly cloudy and colder, with showers.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, unsettled and colder, with rain.

Reports at 5 a. m.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 48; minimum, 48; wind, 20 miles S. W.; rain, .33; weather, part cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, 48; minimum, 48; wind, calm; rain, .80; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.42; temperature, 50; minimum, 48; wind, 6 miles W.; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.42; temperature, 36; minimum, 36; wind, 6 miles N. E.; rain, .06; weather, rain.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.54; temperature, 38; minimum, 38; wind, calm; weather, part cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Wednesday;

Temperature.

Highest	54
Lowest	50
Average	52

Rain, .13 inch.

General state of weather, cloudy and showery.

C. E. UNION.

Quarterly Rally Will Be Held on Monday Evening.

The fourth quarterly rally of the Local Christian Endeavor Union will be held on Monday Evening in the Metropolitan Methodist Church. The service will commence at 7.45 with a song-service lasting afout fifteen minutes, led by the President, W. J. Shortt. It is hoped the members and friends will rally early so that there may be a quarter of an hour of good hearty singing. The main service will commence at 8 p. m. sharp. The union has been very fortunate in securing the Rev. E. Leslie Pidgeon, D. D., of Vancouver as the speaker for the evening. Rev. Mr. Pidgeon has announced that he will speak on the subject, "Canada's Demand on Our Citizenship." This subject should prove attractive as well as interesting to all young people of the city. Rev. Mr. Pidgeon comes highly recommended as a speaker for young people's rallies.

During the evening there will be musical selections by well known local talent. This rally will also be the annual business meeting of the local union. Reports will be read showing the progress of the work during the past year and the election and also the installation of officers will take place. The executive are hoping for a very large attendance of the members and friends of the union so that the in-coming officers may be given a good start on the new year. A pleasant and profitable evening is assured everyone who attends this rally. During the evening the secretary will call the roll when the societies are requested to respond in the usual manner. An invitation is extended to everybody to be present on this occasion.

Social To-morrow.—A maple leaf social, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Congregational church, will be held to-morrow evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scowcroft, 738 Discovery street, to which all old friends and particularly the new ones are cordially invited. A good programme and refreshments. Collection.

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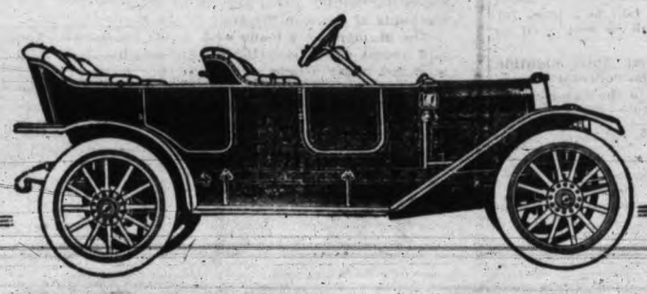

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ALERT BAY STATION READY IN DECEMBER

Wireless Chain Will Then Be Complete—May Erect Station at Langara Island

About the middle of December it is expected that the new wireless station at Alert Bay will be in operation. The site for the station has been cleared and now work is being rushed on the erection of the operator's dwelling. By the middle of November the buildings will all be completed and then the high mast will be set in position and the instruments installed.

When the Alert Bay station is working it will make the tenth station on the British Columbia coast and will complete an excellent chain, one which would be hard to surpass anywhere in the world. Vessels proceeding up the inside passage to Prince Rupert, after Alert Bay is working, will never be out of wireless communication. The radii of the stations run into one another. Point Grey, Cape Lazo, Alert Bay, Triangle and Prince Rupert will always be within the range of any coasting steamer's wireless apparatus.

It is rumored that another wireless station will be erected on the Queen Charlotte Islands. The site it is expected, will be at Langara Island. A first order lighthouse is now in the course of construction there and as Langara will be to Prince Rupert what Tatoosh is to Victoria and other points on the Sound it is more than likely that this will be the point at which the new wireless station will be erected.

New wireless instruments are now being installed at Pachena and Estevan and it is expected that better results will be obtained in the future.

MUCH LUMBER IS BEING SHIPPED FROM PORTLAND

Portland, Ore., Oct. 17.—Advices to Balfour, Guthrie & Company state that the British steamship Frankdale, which they have under charter to load lumber at Portland for Sydney, sailed from Valparaiso for the Columbia River October 9. She is expected to put in an appearance November 4. The Frankdale is a big carrier and will clear with something like 3,750,000 feet of lumber.

Sydney will be the destination of most of the lumber carriers which have been engaged recently to transport cargoes from the river and Portland to offshore markets. Chartered by the same firm the schooner Schome, coming from the West Coast, will load for Sydney. Her arrival will be looked for along in the first part of December. She will take out 850,000 feet of fir.

About 3,500,000 feet of the same product will be taken from Portland to Sydney by the British steamship Ockley. Before making this trip she will carry a cargo of flour and lumber from the Willamette River to Japan and China for the Waterhouse interests. She is expected to be back to begin loading for the Australian port by early in January. Her cargo on this occasion will be exported by Balfour, Guthrie & Company.

Under charter to Hind, Rolph & Co. the American barquentine Koko Head will take a cargo of lumber from the Columbia River to Sydney. She is fully due from San Francisco. It is planned to have her loaded and ready to sail toward the first of next month. She will clear with 1,500,000 feet.

The British steamship Achilbster, loading at Prescott, will sail for Sydney with 3,500,000 feet of lumber. She is under charter to J. J. Moore & Co., a firm that has engaged several other vessels to transport similar cargoes to the Antipodes.

In addition to these, two of the Dollar steamers and the British steamship Strathdene will clear for the Far East this month with lumber cargoes aggregating about 9,000,000 feet. The Strathdene will go to Calcutta and the other two to North China ports.

TUG DAMAGED TAKING TWO BROTHERS NORTH

Vancouver, Oct. 17.—The Greer, Coyle tug Achates, which towed the hulk Two Brothers from Esquimalt to Yess Bay, is at the B. C. Marine Railways repairing damage inflicted after striking a sunken log. The rudder, shoe and part of the sternpost was ripped out and the tug came to Vancouver under a jury rudder.

WHEAT STEAMER SINKS.

Wenatchee, Wash., Oct. 17.—The steamer Okanagan, the largest vessel of the C. & O. Company, was sunk Monday morning at the local docks. The boat was docked from the upper country, heavily loaded with wheat. The pumps were put to work early and the boat was raised about noon. The damage was only nominal.

SAILER UNABLE TO MAKE ROYAL ROADS

BARQUE LADY ELIZABETH IN CLOSE TO TRIAL IS.

Worked off Towards Dungeness—Is to Load Lumber at Vancouver for South

Unable to get a tug off Cape Flattery the Norwegian barque Lady Elizabeth, Capt. Pettersen, blew up the straits last night and this morning rounded Race Rocks under reefed topsails, but found it impossible to get into the Royal Roads and went on past Victoria and it is expected that she will bring up somewhere near Dungeness on the American side. The sailer came north from Las Vilos in ballast and cleared for the Roads. She is to load lumber at Hastings Mills, Vancouver, for South America.

A wireless message received from Tatoosh yesterday stated that the Lady Elizabeth was standing off Flattery. With a stiff westerly wind blowing the sailer made her way up the straits but this morning when rounding Race Rocks to bring up to an anchorage in the Royal Roads she failed to hug that point of land close enough and blew down to within a mile of Trial Island. Finding it impossible to work back to the Royal Roads, Capt. Pettersen worked his way across in the direction of Dungeness.

It is expected that the barque will pick up with a tug on the other side and be brought to the Royal Roads. Some time ago it was reported that the Lady Elizabeth was to be docked at Esquimalt for cleaning and painting, but nothing further has been heard about the matter and shipping men are in doubt as to whether she will be placed in dock. The Lady Elizabeth was about 65 days coming north from Los Vilos, which is not a bad passage for this time of the year, considering the fact that she is foul.

The Norwegian barque will be towed from here to Vancouver to load her lumber cargo.

Teresa Away at Noon.

A telegram from Vancouver this afternoon stated that the Italian full-rigged ship Maria Teresa left there at noon to-day for Victoria in tow of the tug Dola. The Maria is not expected along until late to-night. It is likely that she will be piloted into the harbor to-morrow morning. She will load 2,000,000 feet of lumber at the Canadian-Puget Sound mills.

The German barque Schiffbek, Captain Bruuse, now loading at Hastings mills for the United Kingdom, has taken about a million feet. Her cargo will amount to 2,250,000 feet and another three weeks will be necessary before this is completed. Her ports of discharge at Queenboro' and Newcastle-on-Tyne.

The British schooner David Evans, which sailed from Osaka, Japan, on September 12 for Powell River, should be due shortly. The length of passage may be anything between 25 and 40 days. She will then go to Vancouver to load lumber for Japan.

GUALALA, DERELICT, MENACE TO SHIPPING

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 17.—Menacing coastwise navigation, the steam schooner Gualala is a derelict somewhere between this port and Point Arenas. In a collision with the steel tanker Argyll, the wooden Gualala was capsized early Tuesday morning and her crew taken off by the Argyll which arrived here Tuesday night. Yesterday the steamer Daisy Freeman, which took the Gualala in tow passed in the Gate alone.

Wind and a lumpy sea had forced her to cut the wallowing hulk of the Gualala adrift.

STILL WORKING FOR LINE TO THE ORIENT

Shipping Man Visits Portland From Amsterdam—Thinks Well of Proposition

Portland, Ore., Oct. 17.—Armed with statistics and other convincing proof of the great volume of shipping originating at Portland, and that tributary to this city, W. Boissenvain, representing the National Steamship Co., has left for his home at Amsterdam, Holland, to urge the owners to establish a regular steamship line between here and the Orient. He spent a month here, collecting the information he sought, and before taking his departure he confided to exporters that personally he is strongly in favor of the line being started just as quickly as possible.

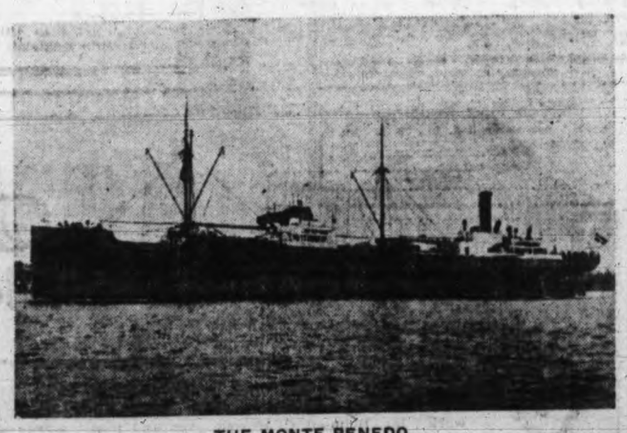
Boissenvain is the only representative of a foreign steamship line to come to Portland who ever remained any length of time, inquiring into the possibilities of making such a venture out of here a success. His predecessors, who arrived ostensibly on the same mission, stayed a day or so, looked about the harbor, declared everything to be satisfactory, and then left for the Sound or San Francisco, which was the last heard from them. But the Amsterdam man called on practically every shipper, ascertained just how much freight passing through Portland was being sent to the Far East, direct and by way of Puget Sound. He called on the railroad officials who aided him in his quest for data, overlooking no source from which he might obtain full information. He worked on the quiet and tried to keep his movements from gaining publicity.

An exporter says that Boissenvain was assured that his steamers to and from the Orient would be given rail connections by the O.-W. R. & N. Co. The lack of this in the past, it is declared, was responsible for the lines being operated with unsatisfactory results, as the steamers' cargoes had to be made up wholly of local freight. Not a pound of the consignments coming on them was destined for points in the interior. This class of business is the principal traffic passing through the Sound, because of the rail connections the steamers running in there enjoy.

Three other lines represented by Mr. Boissenvain and closely allied with the National Steamship Company, are the Netherland Steamship Company, the Royal Steam Packet Company and the Java, China & Japan Steamship Company. If his recommendations should be acted upon favorably it is presumed that the steamers of the latter concern will be placed on the Portland-Hongkong route. His idea is to place four steamers on the run out of here at the start, providing a monthly service, and each of about 7,000 tons capacity.

MINNESOTAN IS ACCEPTED.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 17.—Representatives of the American-Hawaiian S. S. Co. have been advised that the steamer Minnesotan, the first of eight big passenger and freight liners ordered for service through the Panama canal, had passed her builders' trial and been accepted. The Minnesotan is 415 feet long, 53.6 beam, 28 feet draught with a dead weight cargo capacity of 9,450 tons, and a speed of 12 knots an hour. The new liners are fore and aft rigged with steel masts and four king posts. The masts have eight booms each, one on the foremast being of thirty tons capacity.



THE MONTE PENEDO.

The first large German sea-going motor ship was launched at Kiel a short time ago. This ship has been built to the order of the Hamburg South American line, and is intended mainly for their cargo trade between ports on the east coast of North and South America. The chief dimensions of the vessel are: Length, 350 feet; breadth, 50 feet, and depth, 27 feet. She carries about 6,500 tons deadweight, and has a gross tonnage of about 4,000. The vessel is propelled by twin screws, the machinery being placed aft.

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JAPANESE LINER DUE IN HERE IN MORNING

Canada Maru Reported by Wireless List Night—Other Ships' Movements

With 660 tons of general freight for Victoria and 88 steerage passengers the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Canada Maru, Capt. Hori, will arrive in port to-morrow from the Orient. Last night at 8 o'clock the steamship reported from the following position: Latitude 49.48 north and longitude 131.36 west. This figures out to be about 400 miles from Victoria, and the Canada should be along at the outer docks early to-morrow morning.

The Maru will be in port the greater part of the day putting off her cargo, which consists of rice, sugar, miso, soy, furniture and general merchandise. From here she proceeds to Tacoma, for which port she has outside of 3,000 tons of cargo, a shipment of silk valued at $500,000.

Advices have been received by R. P. Rithet & Co., agents for the Bank line, stating that the steamship Orteric, Capt. Howie, sailed from Yokohama on Tuesday, and it is expected that she will arrive here on October 31. She has 420 tons of cargo for Victoria and Vancouver. Included in her cargo for the Sound is a shipment of 7,000 bales of hemp, which was loaded at Manila. She has ten saloon passengers and a small list of Orientals.

Word has also been received here announcing the arrival of the Harrison liner Workman at San Pedro from England. The steamship will be shifting to San Francisco late this week and will be along here towards the close of next week. The Workman has several hundred tons of cargo for Victoria.

Owing to the coal strike at the east coast mines the steamship Crown of Galicia, Capt. Halliday, has been delayed in getting her bunkers aboard. She will proceed from Nanaimo to Prince Rupert and later run south to San Francisco to load for the United Kingdom.

WIRELESS REPORTS

October 17, 8 a.m.

Point Grey—Overcast, calm; 29.83; 46.

Cape Lazo—Cloudy, calm; 29.85; 54.

Tatoosh—Part cloudy; W. 30 miles; 30.04; 50; sea moderate. Out, 6.30 p.m., S. S. Lord Derby; 6.35 a.m., steamship Charles Nelson, outside bound in; schooner Lizzie Vance.

Pachena—Cloudy; N. E.; 29.86; 50; smooth.

Estevan—Raining; S. E.; 29.50; 46; smooth. Spoke, 9.30 p.m., Canada Maru; position at 8 p.m., 49.48 N., 131.36 W.

Triangle—Squally; S. E.; moderate gale; 29.40; 50. Spoke, steamship Prince Albert off Pine Island, 7.15 p.m., northbound; steamship Camosun off Egg Island, 3.30 a.m., northbound.

Ikeda—Cloudy; S. W.; 29.60; 44; light swell.

Prince Rupert—Overcast, calm; S. E.; 29.64; 42; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Raining, calm; sea smooth.

Noon.

Point Grey—Cloudy; N; 29.85, 51.

Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W.; 29.99, 54. Spoke S. S. Princess Beatrice off Campbell River at 10 a. m. northbound.

Tatoosh—Part cloudy; W. 26 miles; 30,12, 51.

Pachena—Overcast; S. E. 29,92, 51; sea rough.

Estevan—Raining; W.; strong; 29.58, 45; sea rough. Spoke Canada Maru 10.45 a. m., position at 9 a. m. 49.24 N. 128.30 W.

Triangle—Overcast; calm; S. W. 29.-21, 50; moderate.

Ikeda—Raining; S. W.; strong; 29.70, 48; sea moderate.

Prince Rupert—Raining; S. E.; light; 29.64, 54; smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Passing showers; S. W.; light; moderate.

The British ship Kirkcudbrightshire arrived at Cork October 11, 135 days out from the Columbia River, with a cargo of lumber.

RUPERT GOES NORTH AND UMATILLA SOUTH

Both Steamers Have Large Lists of Passengers—Latter is Day Late

Two big steamers, one bound south and the other north, left Victoria this morning. Shortly after 8 o'clock the Umatilla, Capt. Reilly, of the Pacific Coast fleet, sailed for San Francisco, and at 10 o'clock the Grand Trunk Pacific steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. Barney Johnson, cleared for Prince Rupert. The former was a day late getting away, the delay having been caused through a strike among the longshoremen who were discharging her Vancouver cargo, and also to the fogs which prevailed on the Sound.

The Prince Rupert took out one of the best passenger lists she has had for some time. At Seattle quite a few passengers joined her and here the following embarked: F. A. P. Stackpoole, S. Woods, J. Ross and Jas. Irwin, forming a survey party going to Lockport, on the Queen Charlotte Islands; Capt. John Irving, who is going through to Hazelton; S. Niven and Harry Howson, who are bound for Prince Rupert, and Mrs. Geo. Carmichael, who is booked for Skidegate.

The Umatilla when she sailed was sold out. About 50 passengers joined the vessel here, including the following: Mrs. M. Hogart, E. D. Kaufman, J. Rushton, Capt. J. W. Butler, one of the Nanaimo pilots; Miss Muriel Nash, Mrs. M. E. Carey, Mrs. Stafford, C. Sisney, Mrs. C. Sisney, Albert Larson, H. L. Salmon, Chas. Mayford, Chas. Charliot Ed. J. Furman, Mrs. J. B. Frizell, J. B. Frizell, Miss A. Patterson, J. A. Service and Geo. Riolo.

The City of Puebla, Capt. Paulsen, also of the Pacific Coast line, is expected in from San Francisco late tonight. She has 140 tons of freight for Victoria.

LAST NIGHT'S BLOW.

Yesterday afternoon a light breeze sprang up from the southwest and early in the evening developed into half a gale. At midnight it was blowing very strong and the meteorological office recorded 20 miles an hour. At the Cape it was still blowing hard this morning, the velocity being 30 miles an hour. A nasty sea worked up in the Straits and Gulf, but has quieted down considerable during the day.

(See Other Shipping on Page 7.)

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CHRISTMAS PARTY TO ENGLAND MAY BE BIG

Several Victorians Booked for Special Excursion—Many Applications Made

Something new in connection with the Christmas excursions from Victoria to England is to be tried this year by Claude A. Solly, passenger agent for the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound railroad. Knowing that this city has a reputation as an English town and that each year many leave here to spend Christmas with the old folks at home, Mr. Solly induced the heads of his company to permit him to personally conduct a party from Victoria to the Old Land.

According to the plans of Mr. Solly the party will leave Victoria on December 8, proceeding to Seattle, where they will join the fine Milwaukee train Olympian. At Chicago the party will divide, some going to Portland, Me., while the others will continue on to New York. At these eastern ports the excursionists will catch the last steamships leaving America in time to reach the Old Country before Christmas.

It is Mr. Solly's intention to accompany the party as far as New York. He will arrange all matters in connection with the trip and the cares and worries of making such a trip will be forgotten by those making the excursion.

Already several persons have been booked for the trip, and many inquiries have been received by Mr. Solly. It is expected that a large party will leave Victoria on December 8.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Oct. 16.

Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Watson, San Francisco; President, Seattle. Sailed: Chicago Maru, Yokohama; Graywood, Sound ports.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Arrived: Olympic, Columbia River; Mandalay, Crescent City; Excelsior, Coos Bay; Bandon, Coquille River. Sailed: George W. Elder, Portland; Caroline, Gray's Harbor; George W. Fenwick, Columbia River; Carmel, Gray's Harbor.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Steamers Willamette, Seattle; Daisy Mitchell, Gray's Harbor; Rose City, Portland; F. S. Loop, Everett. Sailed; Steamers Yellowstone, Oakley, Portland; Dunslaw, Liverpool.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Steamers Mariposa, Southwestern Alaska; President, Sound ports; Nome City, San Francisco; Prince Rupert, Prince Rupert; Watson, Tacoma; Victoria, Leelanaw, Nome. Sailed: Steamers Missourian, Bellingham; Melville Dollar, Edith, Tacoma; Umatilla, San Francisco; McCulloch, Port Townsend; Prince Rupert, Prince Rupert.

NEWS OF ACCIDENTS TO TWO VESSELS RECEIVED

Vancouver, Oct. 17.—According to news received to-day, the British steamer Aberlour, chartered to bring sugar here from Java ports, went ashore in Vladivostock harbor. She grounded on the bar and lighters were requisitioned to take off the cargo. The steamer Auchendale, which had trouble with her engines, left Samrang, Java, on September 26 for Vancouver.

The British steamer Tropea went ashore in Turtle River, Brunswick, Georgia, while swinging, according to news received by shipping men here to-day. As a result of the stranding the engineroom bulkhead was slightly warped and the thrust casting block cracked. She is now at New Orleans repairing.

The Tropea, which is a big four-masted steamer, will be remembered as the vessel which arrived here on February 10, 1910, from New York and came right through the Narrows without a pilot, afterwards proceeding to Prince Rupert.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

From the Orient.

Canada Maru	Oct. 18
Sado Maru	Oct. 24
Monteagle	Oct. 27

From Australia.

Makura	Nov. 12

From Liverpool.

Keemun	Oct. 26

From Mexico.

Lonsdale	Oct. 28

From Antwerp.

Workman	Oct. 28

From New York.

Bellgrano	Oct. 23

For the Orient.

Shidzuoka Maru	Oct. 25
Canada Maru	Oct. 29
Monteagle	Nov. 5

For Liverpool.

Protesilaus	Oct. 30

For Australia.

Marama	Oct. 30

COASTWISE STEAMERS.

From San Francisco.

Umatilla	Oct. 24
City of Puebla	Oct. 31

From Northern B. C. Ports.

Prince George	Oct. 20
Venture	Oct. 23
Prince Rupert	Oct. 23

From Skagway.

Princess Sophia	Oct. 22

For San Francisco.

City of Puebla	Oct. 23
Umatillt	Oct. 30

For Skagway.

Princess May	Oct. 18

For Northern B. C Ports.

Prince George	Oct. 21
Venture	Oct. 23
Vadso	Oct. 24
Prince Rupert	Oct. 24

For the West Coast.

Tees	Oct. 20

For Nanaimo.

Charmer	Oct. 22

He—Can I see Mr. MacIntyre?
She—Na, ye canna.
He—That's a peety; if I come the nicht can I see him?
She—Na, ye canna.
He—That's a peety; if I come the morn's morn can I see him?
She—Na, ye canna.
He—That's a peety; when can I see him?
She—Ye canna see him for he's deid.
He—Oh, that's a peety; did he say onything aboot a pot of red pent afore he sauched oot?

—The Tatler.

PASSENGER AGENT OF C. P. R. IS DUE

C. E. McPherson Expected Here Daily—E. E. Stockton Returns to City

C. E. McPherson, assistant passenger traffic manager of the C. P. R., is expected by C. P. R. officials here to arrive in Victoria to-day, completing a tour of inspection of western agencies to look into the passenger business. He will return by way of Puget Sound, inspecting the companies' agencies in Seattle and Tacoma and Spokane, en route to Winnipeg.

Speaking of the tourist traffic Mr. McPherson says:

"East and westbound through traffic on the western division this year has again established a record. The traffic has not yet been figured out, but the indications show that it will be in excess of 25 per cent. increase over last year. Tourist business has naturally shared in this increase, which is all the more marked when compared with the cumulative improvement shown by each succeeding year for the past five or six years. Our mountain hotels were filled to overflowing all summer despite the large additions made last winter. Our coast steamship business also reflects the same healthy condition. The tendency to travel is becoming a marked characteristic of the people of Canada and the United States."

HEAD LIGHTS

The Russian barque California, with a cargo of lumber from Tacoma for London, was reported passing Dover on Monday last.

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The Harrison liner Director was reported sailing from Liverpool for Victoria on Saturday last.

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Bringing ore from the Britannia mines for the Tacoma smelter the steamer Amur and the barge Bangor has arrived at Tacoma. The Bangor brought 600 tons and the Amur 1,000 tons.

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The British steamer Frankby, en route from Eureka for Tacoma, has passed in the Cape. The Frankby will finish her cargo at Tacoma for Australia.

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Ten days from San Francisco, the schooner Robert Searles was reported passing in the Strait Tuesday.

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Capt. George W. Barlow, for many years identified with steamship navigation on the Sound, and a pioneer of Washington, died at his home in Steilacoom Tuesday. Capt. Barlow, who was 70 years old, crossed the plains from Michigan in 1852 with his parents, who settled in the Cowlitz valley, where they lived for many years.

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Delayed reports from Australia state the British ship Dartford arrived at Sydney prior to October 10 with a cargo of 774,000 feet of lumber laden on Humboldt Bay. She sailed from Eureka on July 15.

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The barquentine Amaranth arrived at Valparaiso prior to October 11 from Astoria with a cargo of 1,279,470 feet of lumber. She sailed from Astoria on July 28 and must have made the passage down in less than 75 days.

BULK TENDERS FOR PAVING WORK

IMPORTANT CHANGE PROPOSED NEXT YEAR

Belief That Alteration Will Promote Economy and Avoid Disputes

The city engineer will shortly recommend an important change in the system of calling for tenders for paving work. In the past the system of paving on a basis of work done, at a certain figure per yard, has been in vogue, and now it is proposed to call for tenders in bulk.

There will not be any more paving work let this year, in view of the late season, but the intention is to prepare for the future, and have new specifications drawn up.

By letting contracts in bulk there will be more preliminary work for the engineering staff, such as profiles, and the fullest information must be available for the contractor to bid upon, necessitating an actual estimate of rock excavation, which has proved an expensive item in the city in past works.

However, it will not only save subsequent disputes about payment for extra work, which has been a source of trouble for the past two years between engineers and contractors, but will effect in the long run an economy for the city. This system of bulk tenders for paving is becoming general, and the chairman of the streets committee, Alderman Stewart, said this morning that the experience of most of the cities they visited in California was favorable to the change.

Alderman Stewart also intimated that the department was seriously considering a modification of the by-laws for local work. Instead of grouping so many objects together in a by-law, as sidewalks with paving, and underground work, it was proposed to divide them up, and including the boulevard work, which was now done under a separate by-law in most cases, to have perhaps three or four by-laws for a street. This would enable the completion of the by-law for underground work and paving to be done, and have it closed up, so that the debentures might be sold, while sidewalks and boulevards might follow later.

At the present time there were over two dozen by-laws providing for construction in which some work remained to be done before the measures could be closed up, and debentures sold and the department were trying its best to finish the work. They often found it was impossible to complete a street at once, and of course it was impossible to obtain any revenue from the assessed owners benefited.

A good deal of trouble has arisen over the administration of the local improvement principle in regard to sewers, as the opinion of the ex-city solicitor and the present incumbent of that office did not coincide. Whereas last year the sewer connections ended at the curb, this year they were advised to carry them on to the property line, the consequence of which was that in cases like Yates street, it had caused a great disturbance of property to rectify the condition of affairs which had arisen.

The chairman did not think that the splitting up of the works of local improvement would greatly add to the clerical duties of the department, as under the present system there was a good deal of time lost in needless delays.

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FEDERAL MEMBER WANTS CANADIAN NAVY

Robt. Cruise, M. P. for Dauphin, Man., Believes Laurier Policy Only Logical One

Robert Cruise, M. P. for Dauphin, Man., who is visiting the city, will spend a fortnight here, attending to business interests before returning to his constituency. Mr. Cruise, although representing a Manitoba riding, can be described almost as a Victorian, as he has a house here, and last year, particularly, spent considerable time in the city. He returned to Manitoba last fall, and became the Liberal standard-bearer in Dauphin. In the contest he took the political scalp of big, picturesque Glen Campbell, who is now embalmed in a government job. Mr. Cruise's majority was 748, and it was a reciprocity majority, too.

"The reciprocity sentiment is consistently strong in the grain-growing provinces and is becoming stronger," Mr. Cruise remarked this morning. "The strength of the reciprocity policy is due to the fact that it is the logical and natural solution of the difficulties which now confront the farmers of the prairie provinces."

Mr. Cruise expects an interesting and exciting session of parliament.

"Consideration of the naval policy of the government will occupy considerable time," he said.

"What are your own views?" he was asked.

"I favor what I believe to be the only logical permanent policy for Canada," he replied: "A Canadian navy, built and manned in Canada and controlled by Canada.

"In this connection I want to correct the report of an interview with me which appeared in the morning paper in which I was made to say that I would not oppose a financial contribution to the admiralty. This, I did not say at all. As to Mr. Borden's policy, when it comes down it will be considered on its merits. I have no knowledge or idea what this policy will be, and I doubt if the premier himself has made up his mind on the subject."

LOCAL NEWS

Seymour Narrows' Bridge.—There will be a meeting of the general Seymour Narrows' Bridge committee this afternoon to hear the report on the progress of the executive committee since the deputation to Ottawa, and the recommendation of Dr. J. A. L. Waddell, or his partner, J. Lyle Harrington, to the Dominion government to make the survey of the narrows.

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Twenty-First Anniversary. — The twenty-first anniversary of the opening of St. Paul's church, Victoria West, will be celebrated by the congregation on Sabbath next when special services will be held, to be taken by the Rev. H. A. Carson, B. A., of First Congregational church, and the Rev. Thomas Green, M. A., of the Centennial Methodist church, morning and evening respectively. On Monday evening following the usual anniversary social under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid will take place when a suitable programme with light refreshments will be presented.

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Drink Home-Brewed Beer.—The Trades and Labor Council last evening, in considering the question of organizing the brewery workers of the city, who have been handicapped in the past by the small numbers, declared themselves in favor of the organized workers supporting home manufactures. They hoped that it would not be necessary for them to insist upon the label locally. If it was not possible peacefully to secure the adoption of the union label on local beverages, it might result in considerable financial loss to the two breweries operating in Victoria, a result the council would greatly regret.

ROYAL VISITORS PLEASED.

His Royal Highness Sends Appreciative Note to Lieut.-Governor.

His Honor the Lieut.-Governor has received the following letter from His Royal Highness, the governor-general:

Governor-General's Train
En route
October 10, 1912.

My dear Lieutenant-Governor:—On leaving British Columbia I write to you to say what very great pleasure my journey through the province has given me, and how highly appreciative the Duchess and I have been of the reception we have met with everywhere, and of the trouble which has been taken to decorate the houses and towns wherever we have been.

Believe me
Yours very truly,
(Signed) ARTHUR.

IN ONE SHORT YEAR.

(Halifax Chronicle.)

The Flag-Flappers are simulating great jubilation over the fact that they have been a whole year in power. But they are not happy. The government has done nothing during the twelve months. It has fretted away the time. It still has to solve its most difficult problems. It has demonstrated its weakness in leadership, its lack of business capacity, and its poverty in principles. It has lost the confidence of the business men of the country. The better class of Conservatives are bitterly disappointed with it. Its most ardent partisans realize that it has failed miserably and that its defeat at the next general election is not only probable, but practically a certainty. Even "the boys" whose high expectations have been so sadly blighted are sick and sore at heart. All of them see the handwriting on the wall. Only the megaphone organs keep up the pretence that the Borden government is safe. The great mass of the people are not deceived by the tumult and the shouting at the "demonstrations," organized with Big Interest money. They know that the days of the Borden government are numbered. One short year has sufficed to reveal its weakness and its hyprocrisy. For it there will be no return.

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Reginald—"Making a living, by Jove."

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SPORTING NEWS

RED SOX SUPERIOR FIELDING WON WORLD'S BASEBALL TITLE

Giants Led in Batting and Base-Running, but Failed to Back up Their Twirlers in the Pinches—Wood and Mathewson, Stars of the Greatest Series Ever Played

Boston, Oct. 17.—Its all over and the Boston Red Sox, Champions of the American League, are now being heralded the World's Baseball Champions. Defeating New York yesterday at Fenway Park, in the deciding game of the most exciting baseball series in the history of the game, the Bean Eaters cop the premier title and major share of the prize money, the extra inning battle of yesterday resulting in a 3 to 2 win for the locals. It was a wonderful finish to a heart breaking game. The Old Master Christy Mathewson, was opposed to Hugh Bedient, Jake Garland's rawest recruit, with Joe Wood, taking up the mound burdens for Boston in the closing rounds of the struggle.

Matty and Wood Starred.

Bix Six had the better of the pitchers' battle all through and errors behind him cost New York the championship. Three misplays in the fatal tenth, after New York had secured the lead, and while the Red Sox are entitled to every honor for the wonderful baseball they have played during the series, the Giant rooters returned home consoling each other with a moral victory. Boston rooters claim, on the other hand, that the Giants could not stand the strain, and the team behind Mathewson simply blew up, just as the Red Sox did a few days ago. Stars of the series are numerous, but the twirling marvels, Mathewson and Wood, with Marquard and Bedient as second choice in the list, shine above the other participants.

Fielding Lost the Title.

It was the miserable fielding of the Giants that brought about the downfall of the McGrawites. Any team that foozles one chance out of every eleven, is going to lose, no matter how good the hitting or the pitching is. The surprise of the series was the failure of the Red Sox mound artists to stop the National Leaguers at the bat. An average of .284 for the Giants, shows the ferocity of the New Yorkers hitting. McGraw, by his daring orders for base stealing, practically won two of the games from Boston, but his fielders failed him at the critical period and all his clever handling of the team went for nothing.

Short Sketches of World's Champions

Charles Wagner, Shortstop.

Charles ("Heine") Wagner is playing with the Red Sox for his seventh year. He broke into baseball with the Murray Hills and went from the sand lots to the New York Giants, being succeeded as shortstop by Muggsy McGraw. The Giants turned him over to Columbus, Ohio, and from there he went to Newark, the Boston club getting him from the Eastern league organization. He is 29, 5 feet 9 inches in height, weighs 183, married, and lives at New Rochelle, N. Y. He bats and throws right-handed.

Buck O'Brien.

Thomas O'Brien, although taken to the coast with the Red Sox team in the spring of 1911, was let out to the Denver club before the season opened. His record with that team was such that he was brought back to the Red Sox during the latter end of the season, and pitched phenomenal ball. He is 18, unmarried and resides in Brockton, Mass.

Duffy Lewis, Leftfielder.

One of the best throwing outfielders in the country, a Californian and a player who is now closing his third year with the Boston club. Like Hooper, Harry Wolter and other Californians, he started in to play college baseball on the coast, but received an early tryout with the professional organization, finally going from there to Alameda, and from Alameda to the Boston team

Lewis is 23, bats and hits right-handed, for about .300. He lives in Alameda, Cal.; is 5 feet 10 inches tall and weighs about 170. He was married last fall.

Leslie Nunamaker, Catcher.

Leslie G. Nunamaker, a backstop, who stands 6 feet 2 inches tall and weighs 190 pounds, has been for two years a member of the Red Sox team, and up to the time of his injury at St. Louis on the first western trip was Bill Carrigan's chief assistant. He is 22 and unmarried. Three years ago he was drafted by the Cubs, but never given a real tryout.

He was secured from the Lincoln (Neb.) club and lives in Aurora, Neb. He bats and throws righthanded.

Forest Cady, Catcher.

Cady is the tallest catcher and the tallest man on the Red Sox squad, measuring more than 6 feet 2 inches. Next to Carrigan he is regarded as the best catcher on the Boston staff and lack of big league experience is the thing that prevents him being rated with the star backstops of the year.

This is his first season in fast company as he caught last year with the Newark team of the Eastern league and ranked as the leading catcher of the entire organization. This is his fourth year in professional baseball, as he made his debut with the Indianapolis team. He is unmarried, is 24 years of age, weighs 190 pounds and lives at Bishop's Hill, Ill.

Neal Ball, Utility Fielder.

Neal Ball, the former Nap, is 30 years old. He was born at Cedar Rapids, Ia., but his winter home is in Bridgeport, Conn. Neal began playing with Montgomery, Ala., of the Southern Association, back in 1904. He showed so much class at bat and afield that the New York Highlanders purchased him. The Naps bought Ball from the Yankees in 1909 and sold him to Boston a couple of months ago. Hall's greatest claim to fame is that he made an unassisted triple play for the Naps against his present teammates on July 19, 1909.

Charles Hall, Pitcher.

Charlie Hall is now passing his seventh year in baseball. He is 25 and resides at Ventura, Cal. He first broke in as a professional with the Seattle team, but was with the St. Paul team of the American Association when both he and Kid Karger were secured at the same time for Boston in 1909.

Hall is 6 feet tall, weighs 190 pounds, bats left handed, pitches right handed and was married last fall.

William Gardner, Third Baseman.

William Lawrence Gardner, Boston's star third baseman, is playing with the Sox for the fourth season. Like Ray Collins, he is a graduate of the University of Vermont, he and the tall pitcher being classmates. In 1908 he was signed up by Boston, but turned over to Lynn, and he joined the Boston team the following season as utility man. He succeeded Amble McConnell at second base, but his natural position was discovered last year, when he was installed at third. Gardner is 26, unmarried, lives at Enosburg Falls, Vt., bats left handed and throws right handed.

James Thomas, Catcher.

"Pinch" Thomas, a clever young catcher whom the Red Sox have had little opportunity to use, was one of the big squad taken by the Red Sox to the coast last spring, but was let out to Sacramento, being recalled for service with Boston this year. This is his fourth year in baseball, as he started out with San Jose, Cal. He lives in Sharon, Kan., is 25, 5 feet 10 inches tall, weighs 165, is unmarried, and throws right handed, batting left handed.

Olaf Hendrickson, Outfielder.

Olaf Hendrickson, the "Little Dane," would stand a good chance of becoming a regular member of any other outfield than that of the Red Sox. This is his second year with the Boston team, having been purchased last summer from the Brockton team of the New England league, where he made his debut in 1910. Olaf is 23, weighs 140 pounds, is only 5 feet 7½ inches tall, and bats and throws left handed.

Hugh Bedient, Pitcher.

Hugh Bedient, one of this year's Red Sox recruits and the youngest member of the Boston pitching staff, is serving his first year in the major league. A year ago last spring he was taken with the Boston team on its training trip to the coast, but was handed over to the Providence club of the Eastern league before the major league season was started. At the latter end of the season he was traded to Jersey City and the Red Sox management had to hand over five players to get him back this year in the Boston fold.

After attracting widespread attention by pitching a 24-inning game against the Cory (Pa.) team for his own home team at Falconer, N. Y., striking out 42 men in the contest, he was secured by the Fall River club of the New England league, coming from there to the Hub in the spring of 1911. He stands 6 feet ¼ inch on height, bats and pitches right handed, was recently married and lives in Falconer, N. Y.

Jake Stahl, Manager and First Baseman.

Garland (Jake) Stahl, the oldest member of the team, is 31 years of age and was born at Elkhart, Ill. His work behind the bat for the University of Illinois attracted the attention of the Boston club, which secured him in 1903. From there he went to Washington, where he played first base and for a time managed the club. He was sold to Chicago in 1907, but refused to go, and in 1908 he was handed over to the New York Americans, who eventually traded him back to his old love—the Boston team—in July of that year. Last year Jake retired to become a banker, but joined the Red Sox again this spring as manager and part owner.

Clyde Engle, Utility.

Engle is regarded as the most valuable utility man in major league baseball. He has played every possible position on the Boston team outside of pitcher and catcher. Clyde is 28, and this is his tenth year in baseball. He made his professional debut with the Nashville team of the southern league, went from there to the eastern league and entered fast company with the New York Highlanders, by whom he was traded to Boston two years ago. He is 5 feet 7½ inches in height, weighs 190, bats and throws right handed, is married and resides at Dayton, O.

Tris Speaker, Center Fielder.

Tris Speaker, one of the bright stars of baseball, is 29, a resident of Hubbard City, Tex., and unmarried. He is one of the greatest outers in the game, has always batted above .300 and this year is Ty Cobb's most formidable rival for batting honors. He is rounding out his fourth season with the Boston team, having been purchased from the Cleburne team in 1907, but was turned over to Little Rock in the spring of 1908 to develop. He rejoined the Boston club in the fall of the same year, having led the southern league in hitting, and has ever since been Boston's star. He is 5 feet 11 inches tall and bats and throws left handed.

Wm. Carrigan, Catcher.

Bill Carrigan is playing in the Hub for the sixth year. He is 28 years of age, weighs 187, is 5 feet 10 inches in height, and unmarried. Bill was secured by the Boston club from Holy Cross college in the summer of 1906, but in the spring of 1907 was farmed out to Toronto, rejoining the Boston club in the fall of the same year.

Steve Yerkes, Second Baseman.

This is Yerkes' fifth year in professional baseball and his third with the Boston club. He was secured from the Carolina league by Boston four years ago, but let out that same year to Worcester, where he helped the New England leaguers to win the pennant. He came back to Boston as utility man and last year played shortstop. He is 24, 5 ft. 9 ins. tall, weighs 170, and bats and throws right handed. He is married and lives in Millville, Pa.

Joe Wood, Pitcher.

Is 23 years of age, stands 5 feet 11 inches in height and weighs 180 pounds. This is his fifth year with the Boston team. He played with the Hutchinson (Kan.) team in 1907, with the Kansas City team in 1908, and was bought from the latter organization by Boston. He is the Red Sox star twirler; is unmarried; lives at Parker Glenn, Pa., and bats and pitches right handed. He has a no-hit game to his credit.

Lawrence Pape, Pitcher.

This is Pape's third year with the Red Sox team, although he first joined the outfit in 1909, coming from Milwaukee. The following year he was let out to the Moncton club of the New England league, but was recalled at the close of the season. He has done but little work on the rubber this season, figuring mainly as the "warm up" pitcher. He is unmarried, lives at Norwood, O., is 24, 6 feet tall, weighs 170 pounds and bats and throws right handed.

Hugh Bradley, First Baseman.

Hugh Bradley, one-time change catcher and first baseman of the Red Sox, is 25 years of age, and a resident of Worcester, Mass. This is his third year with the club and he missed the opportunity to cover the first sack regularly through a serious injury he sustained during the coast trip last year. This spring he started in like a race horse and bade fair to supplant Manager Stahl at first base, but he fell off woefully in his hitting and lost a great opportunity. Brad is a fraction of an inch short of 6 feet tall and bats and throws right handed.

Harry Hooper, Right Fielder.

Hooper is 25 years of age, and is a Californian, hailing from Santa Clara. He is 5 feet 9½ inches tall. He is unmarried and this is his fourth year with the Boston team, as he joined the Red Sox in 1909. He played at St. Mary's college, California, in 1907, and then made his professional appearance with the Oakland, Cal., team. From there he went to Sacramento, and while there the Boston scout saw and signed him. He bats left handed and throws right handed.

Marty Krug, Utility.

Krug, a Cleveland lad, has had few chances to appear in the regular lineup this season. His regular position is at short stop, but as there was little chance of displacing the Boston captain, Krug has had to sit on the bench. He is 23, 5 feet 8½ inches tall and weighs 160. This is his third year in baseball. He started with Dayton, went to Columbia, S. C., and from there to Boston. He is unmarried and bats and throws right handed.

Ray Collins, Pitcher.

This is Collins' fourth year with the Red Sox, having joined the team at the close of his college career at the University of Vermont. Previously he had pitched summer ball for semi-pro teams in Vermont and Maine. He stands 6 feet 1 inch tall, is 25 years of age, was married this spring, and resides at Burlington, Vt. He is a left handed twirler and bats left handed also.

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ARMY HOWARD WAS THE RINGLEADER

Winnipeg Negro Was Unmanageable on Olympic Trip, Declares Coach Knox

Walter Knox, the coach of the Canadian Olympic team, which participated in the sports at Stockholm last July has returned to Toronto.

Regarding the reports of dissension in the ranks of the Canadian team, Knox declared that Army Howard, the negro sprinter of Winnipeg, was the ringleader of the rebellion, being always in some sort of trouble or other.

No More Howard.

"Howard should never have been sent on the trip," declared Knox. "If I had ever thought that he was the unruly sort of an individual he proved to be, I certainly would have drawn the line at him before the team ever left the country. No person could tell anything to Lukeman, either. He knew it all and was always ready for a scrap. Some of the boys imagined that it was a huge pleasure jaunt and I had the greatest difficulty in forcing some of them to stick to work and training.

"Howard told me at the start of the trip that he was accustomed to 'punishing' his stomach, and I did, consequently, allow him to have a little bit his own way in the matter of diet. I gave him steaks and other things which the other members of the team did not enjoy. One day I found him with a big dish of chicken, celery salad and other highly-seasoned stuff in front of him. Apparently I could not please him, no matter what I tried to do. On one occasion he put up his 'dukes' to me, and I promptly gave him some medicine.

Would Go Again.

"I would gladly accept the position of coach of another team, four years hence, if I was given a chance to become acquainted with the men and conditions in good time."

BASEBALL RESULTS

Coast League.

At Sacramento—Vernon, 9; Sacramento, 2.

At San Francisco—Oakland, 2; San Francisco, 3. (10 innings.)

Club Standing.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Oakland	111	76	.589
Vernon	106	79	.575
Los Angeles	110	81	.563
Portland	78	96	.563
San Francisco	84	105	.469
Sacramento	64	116	.356

Exhibition Games.

At Chicago—	R.	H.	E.
Nationals	5	5	2
Americans	7	11	1

Batteries—Reulbach, Cheney, Smith and Archer; White, Benz and Schalk.

At St. Louis—	R.	H.	E.
Americans	1	4	2
Nationals	6	7	1

Batteries — Hamilton, Allison and Stephens; Steele and Wingo.

"MATTY" A WONDER.

Mathewson's record in the National League follows:

Year.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
1900	0	3	.000
1901	20	17	.541
1902	13	18	.419
1903	30	13	.698
1904	35	8	.814
1905	31	9	.775
1906	22	12	.647
1907	24	12	.667
1908	37	11	.771
1909	25	6	.806
1910	27	9	.750
1911	26	13	.667
1912	23	12	.657
Totals	313	143	.668

MARQUARD STILL LEADS.

	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Marquard, N. Y.	2	2	0	1,000
Bedient, Boston	3	1	0	1,000
Wood, Boston	4	3	1	.750
Tesreau, N. Y.	3	1	2	.333
Collins, Boston	2	0	0	.000
O'Brien, Boston	2	0	2	.000
Mathewson, N. Y.	3	0	2	.000
Crandall, N. Y.	1	0	0	.000
Ames, N. Y.	1	0	0	.000
Hall, Boston	2	0	0	.000

T. W. Stanyon, who won the Gorge swim this year, will give an exhibition of fancy swimming at the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday night.

BAYLEY GAVE THE FANS NICE DISPLAY

Canadian Title Holder Went Through His Paces at Labor Hall Smoker

Displaying all his noted speed and cleverness, Joe Bayley afforded the local fight fans a treat last night when he boxed six rounds with Cyclone Scott and Alf. Hardwick. Bayley was the feature of a smoker held at the Labor hall, and his boxing was of the highest order. He will do but light work from now until he climbs through the ropes for his bout with Fighting Dick Hyland. In his exhibition last night, Bayley relied entirely upon his footwork and blocking, without attempting to put his opponents away, a stunt for which the local champion is noted.

Manager Condon has another bout in view for Bayley, Edmonton being desirous of staging a Bayley-Scaler bout in that town. The Prince Rupert battle with O'Leary will be pulled off later in November.

BIGGEST BET OF THE WORLD'S SERIES

One of the largest bets on the World's Series, a wager in which the Giants were favorites, was registered yesterday, when $600 to $500 was made with the Red Sox on the short end. The Giant rooters went wild when their favorites forged ahead in the tenth, but the cheers soon subsided when the Boston rally netted the winning runs.

WOULD RATHER SEE SIX CLUB LEAGUE

Dai Thomas Talks on Local Rugby Situation—Better for Game if Oak Bays Remain

"For the good of the game, I would rather see the teams remain as they are," said Dai Thomas, the famous Welsh Rugby star, to the Times this morning. "The Oak Bay and James Bay teams are not as strong as the other clubs just now," continued Mr. Thomas, "but I expect that both of these clubs will give a good account of themselves before the season has closed." The captain of the Welsh club would not venture on the final resting place of the Barnard cup, but he said that his club would be fighting all the way. The Law Students, he figures, are the team to beat for the title.

Welsh Team Chosen.

The Welsh club selected to play the Wanderers on Saturday is as follows: B. Leeder, Hayden, Hill, Dai Thomas (capt.), Waage Mott, Richmond, Bayley, Rees, Dai Davies, J. Davies, B. Watkins, L. James, Lomas, Campbell, Honey Church, Leason, Lugge, Headdie.

Above players are requested to be on the ground at 2.30 Saturday.

OAK BAY MEETING.

A meeting of the Oak Bay Rugby Club will be held at the Balmoral hotel this evening. All members are requested to be present at 8.15. The Oak Bays have arranged a practice game with the Algerine fifteen for next Saturday. The ball will be kicked off at 3.30.

WORLD'S SERIES AVERAGES

A slump in the Giants' fielding averages marked the final game, the Red Sox having a big lead in that department. The New Yorkers out-hit the Bostonians by nearly 60 points. Complete figures follow:

RED SOX.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.	Fldg. Ave.	Bat. Ave.
Hooper, r. f.	28	3	9	16	2	0	1.000	.357
Yerkes, 2 b.	32	4	7	15	19	0	1.000	.212
Speaker, c. f.	31	1	9	24	3	2	.934	.290
Lewis, l. f.	32	4	5	14	0	1	.933	.156
Gardner, 3 b.	29	4	7	10	9	3	.863	.241
Stahl, 1 b.	32	3	9	79	2	0	1.000	.281
Wagner, s. s.	30	1	6	20	22	1	.976	.166
Carrigan, c.	7	0	0	9	5	0	1.000	.000
Cady, c.	22	1	3	36	5	0	1.000	.136
Wood, p.	7	1	2	0	5	0	1.000	.285
Collins, p.	5	0	0	0	4	0	1.000	.000
O'Brien, p.	2	0	0	1	5	0	1.000	.000
Hall, p.	4	0	3	0	6	1	.857	.750
Bedient, p.	6	0	0	0	0	0	1.000	.000
Engle	2	1	1	0	0	0	1.000	.500
Ball	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.000	.000
Hendrickson	1		1	0	0	0	1.000	1.000
Team fielding				122	90	11	.950	
Team batting	263	25	60					.224

GIANTS.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.	Fldg. Ave.	Bat. Ave.
Devore, l. f.	23	4	6	9	1	1	.909	.259
Doyle, 2 b.	33	5	7	15	23	5	.919	.212
Snodgrass, c. f.	31	2	7	18	1	1	.950	.225
Murray, r. f.	31	5	10	25	0	0	1.000	.322
Merkle, 1 b.	33	5	13	83	0	2	.981	.394
Herzog, 3 b.	32	6	12	11	17	0	1.000	.375
Meyers, c.	28	3	11	44	4	1	.979	.393
Fletcher, s. s.	28	1	5	15	23	5	.919	.178
Becker, c. f.	0	0	0	0	1	1	.500	.000
Schafer, s. s.	4	1	0	1	1	0	1.000	.000
Wilson, c.	1	0	1	2	7	0	1.000	1.000
Mathewson, p.	12	0	2	1	12	0	1.000	.166
Tesreau, p.	8	0	3	0	10	0	1.000	.375
Crandall, p.	1	0	0	0	1	0	1.000	.000
Marquard, p.	4	0	0	0	4	1	.800	.000
McCormick	4	0	1	0	0	0	1.000	.250
Ames, p.	0	0	0	0	1	0	1.000	.000
Team fielding				222	107	17	.922	
Team batting	265	31	75					.283

Summary.

Sacrifice hits—Gardner (2), Hooper (2), Merkle, Meyers, Marquard, Herzog, Cady, Yerkes, Stahl, Murray. Two-base hits—Murray (4), Herzog (5), Gardner (2), Stahl (2), Hooper (2), Merkle (2), Lewis (2), Snodgrass (1), Hall (1), Doyle (1), Meyers (1), Wagner (1), Fletcher (1), Speaker, Hendrickson. Three-baggers—Speaker (2), Yerkes (2), Herzog (1), Merkle (1), Meyers (1), Murray. Home runs—Doyle, Gardner. Stolen bases—Devore (4), Doyle (2), Fletcher (2), Hooper (2), Stahl (2), Merkle, Herzog, Snodgrass, Wagner, Speaker. Double plays—Speaker, unassisted; Stahl, unassisted; Fletcher to Herzog; Fletcher to Doyle; Devore to Meyers. Hit by pitcher—Meyers, Gardner. Struck out—Wood, 19; Tesreau, 14; Marquard, 9; Mathewson, 18; Collins, 6; Bedient, 7; Hall, 5; O'Brien, 4; Crandall, 2; Ames, 0. Bases on balls—Tesreau, 10; Hall, 7; Wood, 4; Bedient, 7; O'Brien, 3; Crandall, 2; Ames, 1; Marquard, 1; Mathewson, 4. Wild pitch—Tesreau, 2.

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LITTLE BITS OF SPORT GOSSIP

The O. R. F. U. has refused the application of Ottawa College for a franchise in that body. The Collegians were told to call around next year.

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Chet McIntyre says Ernie Barrieau will beat Kid Scaler when they again meet on November 2 at Calgary.

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Well, what do you think of Bedient? Mighty few fans figured that the former Newark pitcher, for whom the Sox gave five players this year, would stand a chance against the Giants in a world's series. But Bedient has been as big a surprise as Babe Adams was in the Detroit-Pittsburg series.

SPORTING NEWS (CONTINUED)

PREVIOUS RECORDS OF WORLD'S SERIES

The records of previous series:

1903—Boston Americans defeated Pittsburg Nationals, 5 games to 2.

1904—No series. Giants refused to play Boston Red Sox for title.

1905—New York Nationals defeated Philadelphia Americans, 4 games to 1.

1906—Chicago Americans defeated Chicago Nationals, 4 games to 2.

1907—Chicago Nationals defeated Detroit Americans, 4 games to 1; one game a tie.

1908—Chicago Nationals defeated Detroit Americans, 4 games to 1.

1909—Pittsburg Nationals defeated Detroit Americans, 4 games to 3.

1910—Philadelphia Americans defeated Chicago Nationals, 4 games to 1.

1911—Philadelphia Americans defeated New York Nationals, 4 games to 2.

1912—Boston Americans defeated New York Nationals, 4 games to 3; one game a tie.

This year's world's series was particularly interesting because it broke a tie which existed between the two major leagues in the blue ribbon event. Each league had produced four winners since 1903, but now the American League leads the National with five wins to four.

BEAT FORMER MARK.

The total attendance for the 1912 world's series was 252,037, and the receipts were $480,833, which breaks the financial record established last year in the Philadelphia-New York, for which the receipts were $342,264.

Each member of the Red Sox team, winners of the championship, gets $4,000 approximately, while the Giants, taking down the small end, each receive $2,800. Last year the winning players received $3,654, and the losers $2,436.

Y. M. C. A. SELECTION.

The Y. M. C. A. team for Saturday against the Coronas is as follows: Hewitt, Harris, Hinsler, Bulmer, Whiteoak, Laity, Jones, Allcock, Stott, Main, Erickson. Reserves, Harriss and McNiel.

MEET AT CLUB.

All A. O. F. football players are requested to be at the Club's rooms on Friday night for the purpose of selecting the team for Saturday's game.

EXPECT VICTORY.

Nanaimo United Eleven Will Play Here on Saturday.

Nanaimo, Oct. 17.—On Saturday next the Nanaimo United Football Club journeys to Victoria to meet the home team in an Island League fixture, and a battle royal is expected. Victoria has signed on Rogers, the star full back of Ladysmith, and Wilkie, last year's Victoria speedy outside left, and with these two men on the lineup the Capital City team will be a hard proposition to beat. Nanaimo United, however, will make the trip fully confident of the result, for with every player in tip-top form it is not thought Victoria can stop the locals, especially if they play the game they put up on Sunday last.

The Nanaimo team will be in charge of Manager John Ovington.

Goal, Shepherd; backs, Murray and Hewitt; halves, Adams, Mitchell and McCullough; forwards, Waddle, Brown, Gibson, Stobbart and Lightfoot; reserve, D. Flockhart.

WILL INVESTIGATE.

Lynch Threatens to Resign From National League Presidency.

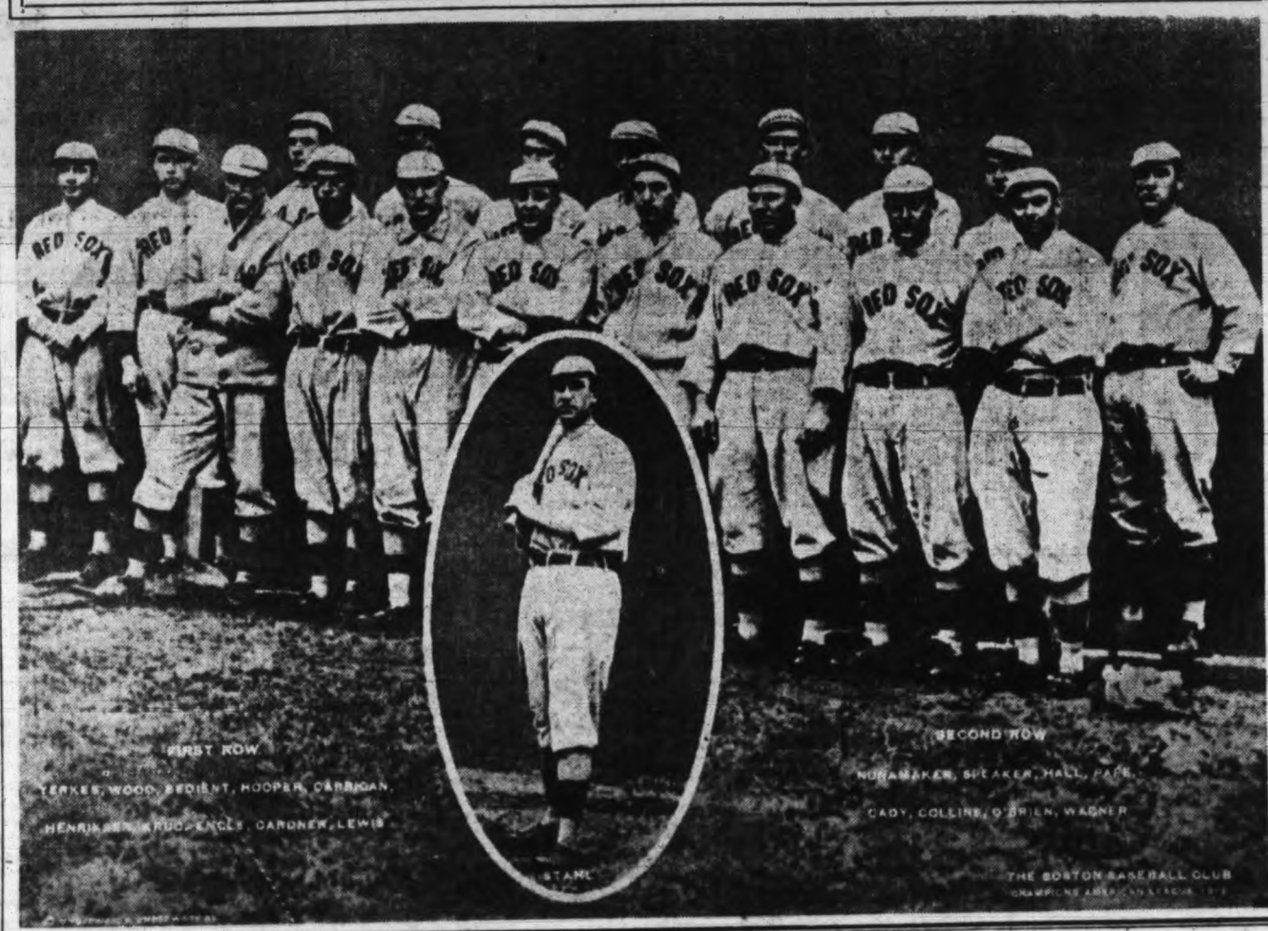
New York, N. Y., Oct. 17.—The magnates of the National League gathered here to-day for a special meeting called by President Lynch to consider the charges said to have been made by President Fogel, of the Philadelphia club, reflecting on the fairness of the National League umpires and intimating that certain members of the staff had favored the Giants to the detriment of other clubs. Lynch considered the alleged charges were a reflection on him, and in Boston he was reported as saying if the league did not take action on the matter he would resign.

WORLD'S SERIES FINANCIAL STORY

Total attendance, 252,037.

Receipts	$480,833.00
Players' share	147,571.70
Clubs' share	203,055.85
Commission	50,083.60

WORLD'S BASEBALL CHAMPIONS FOR 1912



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FINE SHOWING AT ART EXHIBITION

OF THE ISLAND ARTS AND CRAFTS CLUB

Some Features of a Very Meritorious Display of Local Talent

The third annual exhibition of the Island Arts and Crafts Club opened this afternoon at the Alexandra Club hall, and the number of visitors who have already passed through the doors indicates that the attendance will be unusually large. The number of pictures on exhibit is considerably more than in previous years, three more screens having been added, and some very fine works appearing among the pictures. New artists who have never exhibited here before have sent in pictures which, in one or two instances, are as fine as any that have ever been shown in the city, while the quality of the work shown by the old exhibitors shows so much improvement in most cases that one is impressed with the stimulus which has been given to painting during the past few years in Victoria.

Considered in numerical rotation, the first picture in the exhibition is by one of Victoria's most faithful and consistent artists, Miss Kitto, who has a number of water-color sketches of local scenery as well as some of those pictures of flowers for which she is justly well known. T. Bamford, who has just returned from a visit to England where he has made good use of his holiday in sketching, is showing a number of water-color paintings of Whitby scenes, in nearly all of which the fishing boats so characteristic of this seatown appear, the work in every instance being notable for its clean color, unaffectedness, and truthful delineation of outline. A picture of a Canadian bush-fire by Mrs. Shallcross calls attention to the work of this artist, who links to her clever use of brush and color an imaginative sense which gives interest to her work. "Morning Mists," another picture by this artist, emphasizes this characteristic more particularly, with its vision of trailing mist and sunbathed peak. Two large pastel canvases by H. Eldridge occupy a prominent position on one of the screens, that showing an after-sunset glow being quite impelling in its bold use of the fiery sunset colors.

Two artists whose pictures will be much admired by visitors to the exhibition are Miss Wylde and Miss Kate Smith, recently from England. "Midday Rest," a picture of toil in the fields—three work horses feeding from nosebags with their horny-handed drivers partaking of their simple noonday meal nearby—is a little masterpiece by Miss Smith, the subject being handled with all the strength, firmness and ruggedness which it demands, while the drawing of the animals is full of motion. Several other pictures by this artist show the same masterly touch, "Don," (42) a spaniel with head slightly turned, and a sepia study of a horse's head, showing the artist's specialty to be paintings of animals. Apart from this, however, her versatility is proved in a delightful painting of some old thatched "Farm Buildings," and a charcoal drawing of a figure which again shows a masterly use of the pencil. Miss Wylde shows a very keen sense of perspective in her picture entitled "Sooke Hills," which has wonderful depth and realism in the atmospheric effects. A picture of quite another character, entitled "Study Portrait" shows a whitehaired priest in meditation, both the drawing and coloring indicating the artist's ability as a worker, and her imaginative genius. "Solitude," a very clever oil painting by the same artist—showing a clump of gnarled and twisted trees on a hillside—is badly hung and consequently not seen to the best advantage.

A decidedly pleasing view of the Santa Barbara sands is shown, this being the work of Mrs. C. F. Walker, who has used her pigments most effectively in this successful attempt to picture the sun-bathed expanse of sands and dancing waves. On the same screen a small but very clever impressionistic portrait study by W. Meneiaus arrests one's attention by the forceful character of the drawing, another of these decorative studies by the same artist showing his ability in this line of work. An attractive sketch of Cowichan Bay is exhibited from the brush of Miss Ward, who has dealt with this subject in a quite original manner and made an interesting picture. Some beautiful pastel portraits have been hung, these being the work of Mrs. Rowley, who has cleverly combined firmness of execution with delicacy of touch—the works showing an exquisite refinement in outline, the blending of colors, and conception of the subject.

A versatile artist who has attained distinction in all mediums is V. J. Cummings, whose work is vigorous and strongly consistent. This artist, who is of the more modern school of painting, has had quite a number of pictures hung at the present exhibition, two being studies of boys with backgrounds of fields and sky. Another, showing some fishermen mending their nets, while still another is a strongly imaginative picture of Dartmoor under twilight, with the sombre reflection of a fast-fading sunset glow.

For so cold a title as "Study in Architecture," Miss Jean Brown has succeeded in making a most poetic picture of a quiet street in a city, the tints being both delicately handled and warm enough to suggest the sunshine which lights up the walls of the buildings. One of the small gems of the collection is a water-color painting of rocks, quiet pools, and distant mountains by Mrs. Collins Wallick, another picture which will attract attention through the quiet dignity of its execution being that of the south transept of York Minster, by Miss Fenn.

Mrs. Oldfield shows peculiar genius in her handling of atmospheres, a small painting of the Houses of Parliament on the Thames being really powerful in its suggestion of distance and the murky London winter, while in one of her Whitby scenes one gets the quiet opposite impression of the clear, strong air of that place—the imaginative element in the first picture, when considered with the vigorous handling of the second subject, showing her versatility. Miss J. Crease shows some good free work in her painting of the North Thompson river near Kamloops; her paintings, which are larger than heretofore, showing decided improvement. Mrs. Leather shows considerable imagination and breadth in her handling of a similar subject, while her picture of Lake Louise is truly imbued with the spirit of the vast silences of the Canadian Rockies, and will arrest the attention of many a visitor.

Mr. Fripp, of Vancouver, has sent in some pictures which have added not a little to the completeness of the exhibition, his masterly paintings of Lake Louise and the Ten Peaks occupying prominent positions where they will be much admired for their delightful presentation of the mountain scenery so familiar to most Victorians. Mr. Fripp's work needs no explanation, being frank, unaffected and absolutely truthful, while the subjects chosen are in themselves attractive. Another artist who has adhered to local subjects with very good results is Colonel Hobday, whose detail work is very good and general effects very pleasing. A charming little picture by A. H. Parker shows a glade in the woods, the "Indian Summer" atmosphere which has been so cleverly introduced adding to the beauty of a picture which even otherwise would show great taste and a natural sense of balance. T. S. Gore has made an intimate study of the Victoria golf links, which will be much noticed for its coloring and drawing, while Mrs. Daniell has some excellent large canvasses of scenes not far from our capital city, one entitled "Rock Plants, Saanich," being particularly painstaking and thoughtful in its execution. Another of Capilano canon shows a familiar scene in one of its most pleasing aspects, the distances and lights in this picture showing very skilful work on the part of the artist.

It would be impossible in so short a resume to name all the other pictures worthy of mention, although in concluding attention should be called to the work of Miss Crocker, who shows masterly ability in dealing with a view of the Olympics and in a small sketch of Oak Bay—while the club has a decided acquisition in the person of Miss Berry, who shows a few delightful miniatures that will make an impression of the most favorable kind on all who see them.

In addition to the pictures, which are hung on screens arranged around the room, there have been quite a number of entrants in the crafts' section, which will be reviewed at a later day.

THOUSANDS OF INDIANS WERE HOP-PICKING

Chief Dominion Constable Speaks Highly of Their Conduct in the Camps

Thomas O'Connell, chief Dominion constable in British Columbia, is in the city for a few days after completing the work of bringing home the Indians of Vancouver Island who have been engaged in hop picking on the mainland at Agassiz and Chilliwack. Mr. O'Connell says the hop crop this year has been the largest and most successfully harvested of any in the history of British Columbia. The growers are delighted with the results of their season's work.

Nearly two thousand Indians from various parts of the province have been engaged in the picking this fall. Their conduct has been exemplary to a degree, and Mr. O'Connell is naturally proud of the work he has accomplished in directing the efforts and ambitions of the wards of the Dominion toward better things. At the Agassiz camp this year 750 Indians were employed, and not a single case of drunkenness or infraction of the law was recorded. There was an attempt made by one white man to smuggle whiskey into the camp, but his prompt arrest followed and he was committed to the penitentiary for nine months, no option of fine being assessed.

In Chilliwack much the same conditions prevailed, where 1,950 Indians were in camp. The only attempts to debauch the Indians with whiskey were made by those of their own race who smuggled liquor from the United States. Every one of these was caught with the goods and sentenced to the statutory punishment. As a result of this careful guardianship and supervision the morale of the Indians has been much assisted, and the growers and citizens interested in the hop industry have been freely complimentary to Mr. O'Connell for his good work.

Mr. O'Connell thinks that mention should be made of the excellent sanitary conditions of the camps. Everything has been done, he says, that could be done by the growers to provide suitable accommodation for the Indians. Neat cottages and cabins have been constructed and modern conveniences provided so that the Indians have had, in many cases, more comforts than when at home. Mr. O'Connell says the same thing characterizes the canneries of the Fraser river. The canners are giving more attention to the sanitary and other necessities of the Indian fishermen, and the conditions which prevailed along the banks of the Fraser a few years ago are a thing of the past.

It has been Mr. O'Connell's constantly urgent plea that such improved conditions should be brought about and this year he has had the satisfaction of seeing his efforts largely rewarded in the great changes that have taken place.

Three hundred tons of discarded cannons from the fortifications around Paris have been melted up for penny coinage.

WHAT THE FIRE DID TO SOME OF THE MACHINES

LICENSE CANCELLED ON NORTH PARK ST.

Commissioners Close Out Liquor From Heagerty & Blaquire Store

On instructions from the license commissioners yesterday the bottle licence of Heagerty and Blaquire, North Park street, was cancelled, and an application for its renewal by the firm refused. David Heagerty appeared before the commissioners complaining that he had been fined twice for offences under the act, had paid heavy fines and had been forced by order from the commissioners to dispose of his stock of liquor at a loss. The licensee had been fourteen years in possession of a license and had no mark against his record until the convictions recently recorded. One of these was selling liquor to an interdict and the other was for having his liquor store door open on a Sunday. In the latter case the ex-licensee informed the court that he was pursuing his regular monthly habit of making up his accounts, when a constable walked into the store by the yard entrance to make a Sunday purchase, and saw the door of the liquor store open.

Notice had been given the firm that after seven days the sale of liquor on the premises would have to cease. Mr. Heagerty complained that under the notice he had disposed of his stock at a loss of $500. The commissioners, however, were not sympathetic, and reminded the applicant that he had taken ten days, without objection, from the licensee.

The temporary license for Mitchell and Duff, of the Strand hotel, was made permanent, subject to alterations to the premises being passed by the inspector. Lee R. Bartley applied and received a wholesale license for premises on Langley street.

BAZAAR CLOSES.

Termination of Successful Function at Aged Ladies' Home.

Last evening the bazaar at the Aged Ladies' home closed; after a most successful two-days' sale of work which it is anticipated will show a very profitable balance to the credit of the fund which the committee have formed. Last evening visitors were delighted with the performance of the High School cadet band, kindly lent for the occasion by Bandmaster Plowright, the music being much appreciated by the old ladies also. Owing to the inclemency of the weather the number of visitors last evening was naturally not so large as the previous evening, when the guests had difficulty in making their way through the crowded corridors.

An excellent programme of music was given on Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Leiser contributing a number of songs much to the delight of the aged residents of the home, Mr. Leiser and Miss Edwards contributing a number of instrumental selections also. Mr. Tomlin and Mr. Low, of the Scottish pipers, appeared in costume and, marching up and down the hall, gave a number of stirring Scottish airs which so enthused one of the ancient daughters of Caledonia that she stepped out and danced the Highland Fling with enviable dexterity and lightness of foot. No one will be more grieved than the old ladies themselves that the bazaar has come to an end, as to many of them whose interest in the world is still very much alive despite their enforced isolation from the events of the hour, the two days excitement was a most welcome change and one which they will long remember.

A BIG CONGRESS.

W. L. Hathaway to Marshal the Insurance Men of the World.

Victorians will be interested to learn that W. L. Hathaway, Manager Mutual Life of New York in San Francisco, has been appointed commisioner of the Panama-Pacific Exposition to be held in 1915. The particular work assigned

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to Mr. Hathaway is the World's Insurance Congress, which is the first congress of its kind to be held in the world. It will attract insurance men from every part of the world to the Pacific Coast in 1915. This congress will bring together men of every nationality, and will result in a world-wide publicity to insurance matters, under the entire management of Mr. Hathaway, who is recognized as one of the most important insurance men in the United States.

OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of the late Harry Prior will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Paul's church, Esquimalt, Rev. Baugh Allan officiating.

The death took place last evening at the Chinese hospital of Quon Jen, a Chinese. The deceased, who was quite well until 7 o'clock in the evening, succumbed to heart disease shortly after 11 p.m. He was born in Woy Hen, China, and has a brother and son living here, the latter working at the Prince George Hotel, the former at the powder works. The remains have been removed to the B. C. Funeral parlors, whence the funeral will take place to-morrow at 10 o'clock, interment to take place in the Chinese cemetery.

The funeral of the late James K. Owens will take place from the family residence, Tennyson Road, to St. Mark's church, Boleskin Road, on Saturday at 2 o'clock.

The death took place yesterday of Baby Kenneth Lawson Yarwood, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Esmond T. Yarwood, of 2025 Hulton street. The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of the child's parents.

HOW THE GIANTS FEEL TO-DAY

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PINKERTON'S MOST AMAZING CASE

YET ANOTHER "RAFFLES" IN ACTUAL LIFE

Story of a Cultured Gentleman Who Took a Joy in Burglary

In an interview with William Allan Pinkerton, head of the famous detective service, the representative of the London Daily Chronicle obtained an interesting story with regard to an extraordinary case in which his firm was recently engaged.

It is, perhaps, one of the most amazing stories that have ever become known, even to Mr. Pinkerton himself, who has 50 years' experience of the greatest crime stories of Europe and America.

It is the first time he has told it for publication, and it can only now be given in brief. The whole of the man Guthrie's career—how he deceived his mother, with whom he was living, as to his evil courses, how he followed at one and the same time the professions of burglar, forger and collegian—is a revelation even to men who know the world.

Jacob F. Guthrie was a college graduate, a man of culture and admitted to good society. With all that, he is, by his own admission, an habitual and successful burglar, and an expert forger.

Chicago, Mr. Pinkerton explained, had been the scene lately of a score or more of burglaries, all of them committed at the houses of the wealthiest citizens. In some cases statuary was stolen, and in all the plunder included many articles that would be passed by as "impossible" to dispose of by the professional thief. Valuable paintings also disappeared.

The thief afterwards confessed that he had a joy in stealing, similar, he said, to that which fills the soul of other men when they have done some great deed for science or humanity.

At last there came news of a big forgery. A lady had left her house to go abroad, and later £4,000 was obtained from her bankers by clever forgery.

"A Mighty Struggle."

"Within a short time," said Mr. Pinkerton, "a bank communicated with us that they had some suspicious cheques, and we sent a man along. By-and-by the man who had presented the cheques made his appearance. He was six feet in height, and a heavy fellow, and there was a mighty struggle when he was arrested. Indeed, he broke away, but was captured again after a tough encounter, and taken to the police depot to be searched.

He submitted then all right, but he was stopped when about to swallow a piece of paper. When we got hold of it there was the receipt for a barn he had hired, quite close to where I live. The detectives searched it, and found £60,000 worth of property stowed away there—all the plunder he had taken in a score of burglaries. All the time he had been pursuing his studies, or following his employment, without any one having the least suspicion he was a criminal.

"While he was being examined he declared he had never robbed the poor, which he appeared to think was a quite good enough excuse for all he had done. So far as was ascertained, he had not sold anything, but had stored jewellery, precious stones, statuary, pictures and all kinds of things in the premises he had hired."

Passing from this modern instance of daring crime, Mr. Pinkerton went on to talk of his share in the arrest of the brothers Austin and George Bidwell and their accomplices, Macdonnell and Noyes, for the most gigantic and successful forgery ever carried out against the Bank of England. The four were convicted and sent to imprisonment for life.

£100,000 Fraud.

In the year 1873 Mr. Pinkerton was with Detective Inspector Shaw, of Scotland Yard, in a small tailor's shop in London, where they were tracing some notes in connection with a robbery in Baltimore, when two swell-dressed fellows entered. He knew them at once as two of the greatest American forgers, and, stepping to the back of the shop, signalled to Mr. Shaw to follow them.

"He located them," said Mr. Pinkerton, "somewhere up Piccadilly way, and next day I told Mr. Shaw who they were, and said, 'I will send over to America and bring over the pictures of the two men. The very first big forgery there is here you will probably find them useful,' so I wrote for them, and in time they arrived.

"Then came the news that the Bank of England had been defrauded of over £100,000 by forgers, and Mr. Shaw was put on to attend to the matter."

Austin Bidwell and Macdonnell were at once identified by means of the photographs, and after an exciting chase in various parts of the world the four members of the gang were eventually arrested, Mr. Pinkerton himself capturing Austin Bidwell at Havana.

Mr. Pinkerton asked that he might be allowed to state publicly how strongly he felt that when a prisoner desired to leave his crooked ways he should receive all the encouragement possible. As an illustration of what he meant he instanced the case of a famous thief called "Jerry the Nibbler," who originally came from Liverpool.

After a long career of crime, Jerry was sent to the penitentiary for a number of years. While he was there cholera broke out, scores of the prisoners died, the warden and his family and a number of the nurses were laid up with it, and the whole place was full of disease.

Then Jerry became the hero of the situation. He did everything that the stricken nurses should have done, he nursed the warden and his family back to life, he worked at everything and anything with the doctor, and when the danger was over he was given a purse of money and a free pardon was obtained for him.

Then he announced his desire to go straight, consulted Mr. Pinkerton, asked for "a chance," and commenced to study medicine. In a few years he took his degree, went into practice, became director of a bank, and one of the most respected citizens. When he died he was buried with all the marks of respect usual on such occasions.

"And," commented Mr. Pinkerton, "I could tell you of hundreds of others."

NOURISHMENT BY ELECTRICITY.

Possibility that in Future Ages People May be Electrically Fed.

At the Science Advancement Congress, held at Bordeaux, Professor Bergonie brought out the somewhat startling fact that the electric current can serve to some extent in the place of nourishmen for the human body. Should this idea be carried to its fullest limits it may be possible to dispense with taking food and simply remain for a few minutes in a high-frequency electric cage so as to have the body saturated with what might be called electrical nourishment, or in more accurate language, the electric currents act to restore energy to the human body in a manner which is analogous to the effect of food. When high frequency currents first began to be used, as Professor Bergonie says, it was shown by D'Arsonval that these could set up very striking heat effects in the organism, so that the human body is internally heated. Owing to their harmless action, no other effect than development of heat is produced. The liver, heart or brain can receive the high-frequency currents without any bad effect upon their working. Thus the current can supply as large an amount of energy as is desired to the human body, provided the heat is not brought too high so as to cause death of the protoplasm as occurs in Dr. Doyen's electro-coagulation method. But it is not hard to keep within the proper limits, and no danger need occur. With some organisms which are weakened on account of their being deprived of nourishment for any cause, the general temperature may become lowered even by two degrees. A person can thus lose a quantity of heat which is represented by one-twelfth of the daily ration of that organism. It is, therefore, a wonderful result to make up for this deficit without calling upon the digestive organs and without introducing any drugs into the blood or tissues. Electricity allows of sending a quantity of energy which may be considerable into the living organism under the form of high-frequency and low-tension currents, and this action can be repeated as often as is needed. He finds that in experiments made at the Bordeaux college, overworked or enfeebled persons, anemics and the like, showed that the current caused a toning up of the system and abolished stomach overwork. Force reappeared and he found a considerable gain in weight. Commenting on this, he remarks that we once thought that chemistry would solve the problem of food, and that we could be nourished by chemical products. But this does not appear to be realized even in this age of progress. Perhaps electricity will now be able to come in where chemistry failed, and in the future ages we will be electrically fed.—Scientific American.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

H. A. Brittain has arrived in the city from Montreal.

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Colin Dodd is a guest at the Empress hotel from Seattle.

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At the Strathcona hotel is H. E. Gleason, of Seattle.

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A. B. Noyer, of Seattle, is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

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M. B. Hood, of Chicago, is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

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David J. Black, of Toronto, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

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Registered at the Westholme hotel is K. L. Wade, of Seattle.

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R. H. Ley is making a short stay in the city from Vancouver.

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R. B. Snowden has arrived at the Empress hotel from Seattle.

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Frank Martin of Stewart, is staying at the King Edward hotel.

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Inez Z. Morrison is registered at the Empress hotel from Seattle.

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John Hopp is registered at the Empress hotel from Barkerville.

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Murray Kinnell, of London, is a guest at the Westholme hotel.

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Walter Harris, of Port Alberni, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Cooper Mordaunt are in the city from London, England.

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J. Ford Henderson, of Prince Rupert is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

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D. F. Halley, of Calgary, arrived at the King Edward hotel yesterday.

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Miss Sullivan, of Sydney, N. S. W., is a guest at the Prince George hotel.

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Lawrence Bonny, of Winnipeg, arrived at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

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A. H. Lee is in the city from Vancouver and is staying at the Empress hotel.

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Registered at the Prince George hotel are E. D. Fee and C. Jewitt, of North Bend.

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Mrs. Reid is registered at the Dominion hotel from South Salt Spring Island.

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Guests at the Prince George hotel include Mr. and Mrs. Francis, of Vancouver.

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T. W. B. London registered at the Empress hotel yesterday from Vancouver.

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George S. Sherwood, of Montreal, is staying at the Dominion hotel on a brief visit.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Earl, of Long Beach, Cal., are staying at the Prince George hotel.

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William Wilson arrived at the Dominion hotel yesterday from New Westminster.

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F. P. Barton has arrived in the city from London and is registered at the Empress hotel.

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Charles M. Wilson, of Queen Charlotte Islands, arrived at the Westholme hotel yesterday.

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E. E. Phair, the well known hotelman, is in the city, staying at the Strathcona hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pick are in the city, staying at the King Edward hotel from Boston.

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Recent arrivals at the Strathcona hotel include Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wichter, of San Francisco.

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Visitors to the city include Gus Moerman, W. D. Kinney, and H. D. Linthrop, of Quiet Cove, J. Rifsguard of Holberg, and Hans Myram, of Quatsino, all of whom are at the Westholme hotel.

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R. W. Wetmore is making a short stay in the city from Winnipeg, registered at the Empress hotel.

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Mrs. T. Lea, 1018 Fisguard street, will be at home to her friends to-morrow, and will receive hereafter every third Friday.

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Among the guests at the Empress are Edward Giffard and Lady Giffard of London, England. Lady Giffard is the daughter of the Earl of Halsbury who was for seventeen years Lord High Chancellor of England, and who was also the leader of the "Die Hards."

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Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Geoghegan and Mr. and Mrs. Geoghegan, jr., arrived at the Empress hotel last evening. They are travelling for pleasure. Mr. Geoghegan was formerly associated with the Guiness brewery, but has now retired from business. The home city is Dublin.

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C. O. Mailloux arrived in the city yesterday from Spokane. Mr. Mailloux is a leading electrical consulting engineer, who has been engaged in the exercise of his profession in different parts of the world, and wishes to see something of the inland waterways of British Columbia. He is a vice-president of the organization committee for the electrical congress to be held in San Francisco in 1915. He is an accomplished linguist, and has travelled very extensively.

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The Ottawa Citizen says: Mr. and Mrs. Bodwell of Victoria, B. C., and their daughter, Miss Brownie Bodwell, who have been spending a month at the Chateau Laurier, én route from Murray Bay, where they spent the summer, are leaving on Friday for their Western home. Miss Brownie Bodwell will make her debut in Victoria this winter and may possibly return to the capital with her parents after the New Year. Mrs. Bodwell was the guest of honor at an informal tea given by Mrs. D. J. McDougal, when a very pleasant and informal hour or two was spent. Miss Chadwick presided at the tea table and was assisted by Miss B. Chadwick. Among the guests were Mrs. Frank Anglin, Miss Muriel Anglin, Mrs. George Desbarats, Mrs. Harry Cassils, Mrs. Gordon Hewitt, Mrs. Leslie Macoun, Mrs. Britton Francis, the Misses McLeod Clark, Mrs. Chadwick, the Misses Kingsford, Mrs. William Stephenson of Newcastle-on-Tyne, and Miss Marguerite Crombie.

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Right Rev. Boyd Carpenter and Mrs. Carpenter are expected to arrive in the city at the end of the week from the Old country, and it is anticipated that the bishop will occupy the pulpit at Christ Church Cathedral on Sunday, when the annual Harvest Festival services will be held. Dr. Boyd Carpenter was consecrated Bishop of Ripon in 1884, from which office he retired about a year ago, and is now Canon of Westminster Abbey, although, of course, he still retains his episcopal title. One of the finest preachers in England, Dr. Boyd Carpenter is also well known as a writer of many religious works, including "Commentary on Revelation," published in 1879; "Christian Reunion," 1895; "A Popular History of the Church of England," 1900, and "Witness to the Influence of Christ," 1905. He has also written a number of hymns. From 1882 to 1884 he was canon of Windsor, prior to that having been honorary chaplain to the late Queen Victoria, while from 1883 to 1884 chaplain in ordinary, and is a knight of the order of the Royal Crown.

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The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

There are several kinds of grown-up children in this world.

There's the kind that everybody loves, the folks whose hearts have refused to grow old with their body, who have somehow miraculously avoided the cynicism and disenchantment which usually come with the years, and have kept all the fine enthusiasm and optimism of youth.

And there is the kind of people who really have grown old but refuse to admit it by their manners or their clothes. Too often we laugh at them when we really ought to pity them.

And then again, there is the kind of grown up children, who, while they have lost all the fine qualities of youth, have still kept its pettiness—and as for these, well, to me, at least, it's pretty hard to remember that they aren't big enough to deserve dislike.

In our neighborhood there is a person with the outward semblance of a man. People who see him on the street or know him casually think he deserves to be called one. People who know him better usually come to realize that he is simply a grown up child of the least desirable class. Here is a little example of the tricks by which he has earned this reputation. In company with several other young couples he and his wife used to play cards two or three evenings every week. One very lovely summer evening the rest of the company felt disinclined to card playing and voted for a walk. He preferred the card-playing and said so with all the imperiousness of a spoiled child. The rest of the party naturally saw no reason why they should all give in to please one member, and pleasantly responded that they would walk and he might play cards if he preferred. So angry was he at this refusal to yield to his preference that he not only stayed at home and played cards, but he actually "got mad" and refused even to speak to the offenders any more.

What do you think of that? He saw them constantly, on the street, at social gatherings and at the restaurant they all frequented, but he passed them by in stony silence. The other day he found himself on the street car sitting next to one of the women, and although she was quite ready to say good morning and pass the time of day, he hid behind his paper and hugged his "mad." And all because they wouldn't play what he wanted to!

Do you remember what Portia says of one of her lovers? "God made him and, therefore, let him pass for a man." That is a very expressive description of some people, isn't it?

Again, I know a hostess of a boarding house who says she has to be very careful to have all her helpings exactly alike, because there are some of her guests who would be much upset if they thought anyone else was getting an ounce more of pudding or more plums in their sauce than they.

To have grown up and lost all the glories of childhood, and not to have compensated one's self by getting rid of its pettiness and petulance, surely this is one of the tragedies of life.

Ruth Cameron

The Advance Man

"Sheehan English Opera Company."

The Sheehan English Opera Company, which comes to the Victoria theatre to-night is bigger and better than ever this year. Starting from a modest beginning several years ago, it has been gradually built up into the fine organization that is now representing the masterpieces of operatic literature to the English speaking people in the language they speak and understand. It has been recognized that fine solo voices are not the only requirement of a great operatic company And so, while a long list of pre-eminent vocal stars adorn the Sheehan roster, much attention has also been paid to the equally important features of chorus and orchestra. A trained chorus of sixty is carried with the company, and its inspiring rendition of the fine ensembles that mark most great operas is a telling feature of Sheehan productions. Of equal importance is the orchestra. It has been found impossible to depend on local musicians who are not familiar with the entire scores of opera and have too little time for rehearsal to give a smooth performance. Accordingly Mr. Sheehan signed Mrs. Emily Grey, famous Harpist from Covent Garden, London, England; Miss Sibley Remus, Violinist Virtuoso, Paris Opera Comique, and a special grand Opera Orchestra under the direction of William Glover, England's foremost conductor, for this tour. They are in fact highly expensive, but they are deemed essential to good productions, and the generous appreciation of the public has endorsed the policy adopted.

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"The Chocolate Soldier" will appear at the Victoria Theatre to-morrow night. The unusually difficult orchestration of Straus' masterpiece is secure in the hands of the special orchestra of picked musicians with which Mr. Whitney has equipped the company. Needless to say, Mr. Whitney maintains the same excellence in the casting of the company as he has displayed in everything he ever did and has chosen Rena Vivienne to interpret the difficult role of Nadina, which she has proven herself very capable of doing. For the Chocolate Soldier he is giving Charles Purcell, who disports himself with remarkable grace, besides being the possessor of an almost grand opera voice. In selecting Ilon Bergere for the role of Mascha he has reached the ideal, and comes down to earth with the fiercest and best Massakroff in the person of J. Russell Powell. Others equally good are Lucille Saunders, J. F. McDonough, Olive Randolph, Slyvan Langlois, and George Ogle.

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FOR PROTECTION OF INVESTORS

MOVEMENT HAS BEEN INAUGURATED IN LONDON

Canadian Chamber of Commerce Takes Lead—Dr. Vrooman Interviewed

Vancouver, Oct. 17.—Dr. Frank Buffington Vrooman, editor of the British Columbia Magazine and Canadian representative for several of the largest English dailies, returned to Vancouver last evening, after an absence of nearly nine months. This he spent in England, engaged in important business projects, which he anticipates will redound to the benefit of the province if consummated.

Referring briefly to some of the important issues at present under consideration by the Canadidan chamber of commerce in London, the doctor stated that a strong movement is now on foot to protect British investments in Canada as well as those who have investments to offer in England.

The irresponsible, atrocious, and altogether misrepresented swindles which he alleges some of the capitalists of Great Britain had already been subjected to on the part of unscrupulous individuals, was having the effect of depreciating first-class Canadian investments on the London markets. He earnestly hoped that the citizens of Vancouver would co-operate with the Canadian Chamber of Commerce in London on this question.

In connection with political questions at present constituting so much unrest in England, Dr. Vrooman stated that a spirit of hysteria and anarchy appeared to be in the air, and that the statements of Mr. Bonar Law, which contained veiled threats of brute force, had done much to stimulate the feeling.

Dr. Vrooman was a delegate to the International Congress of Chambers of Commerce, which held its first session in Boston three weeks ago. After a week's session as guests of the Boston Chamber of Commerce the various delegates, consisting of 500 foreign members and 300 United States delegates, representing approximately about one-half of the world's wealth, were conducted by special train on a tour through the principal United States cities.

SALVATION ARMY AND EMIGRATION

(Continued from page 1.)

Replying to the suggestion that British industries might suffer if a permanent surplus of labor were not available, Col. Lamb declared that it says little for the organizing and brain power of the community if tens of thousands have to be kept in a state of under-employment for the sake of the country's industries.

Questioned why the Salvation Army practically confined its immigration work to Canada, the witness stated that they had no preference for Canada against Australia or South Africa. They sent their people where they could get the best returns. Immigration to South Africa could be carried out successfully as part of a land settlement scheme. Australia was a long way off and rightly or wrongly, the impression had existed in London that immigrants were not exactly wanted by Australians in the past. Even now he would like to know whether the Australian labor party, which dominated Australian politics, were in their heart of hearts in favor of immigration.

J. Obed Smith, Canadian commissioner of immigration, furnished the commission with a full statement of the Canadian immigration system, the figures last year constituting a record.

BANK MERGER PROPOSED.

St. John, N. B., Oct. 17.—H. A. Richardson, general manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, is still in the city, and negotiations with the Bank of New Brunswick are in progress. A director of the Bank of New Brunswick yesterday said it was true negotiations looking to the sale of the bank to the Bank of Nova Scotia are on.

MANY PROPERTIES BEING OPERATED

Granting of Subsidies to Steamboats Aid Prospectors in the Yukon

Vancouver, Oct. 17.—A stimulus to prospecting in the outlying sections of the Yukon has been given by the action of the territorial government in paying subsidies to steamboats there to make trips to various camps, according to H. Pinkiert, a pioneer merchant of Dawson.

Mr. Pinkiert stated that this has effected a substantial reduction in freight rates, enabling prospectors to ship in supplies to their various properties or to search the unprospected creeks for gold. In recent years up to this season prospecting had been almost abandoned, owing to the superior transportation facilities on the Alaska side of the boundary line. Now that the prospector is being benefitted by the subsidy a great many properties, which under former conditions would have been neglected, will be worked during the coming winter.

Mr. Pinkiert is hopeful about the future of the whole region on account of the expansion of mining operations by large companies.

Dawson is feeling the effect of the increased gold production and business men there are doing well in comparison with the state of affairs that prevailed after the creeks had been worked out by individual operators unable to install ditches for providing water on the high benches.

WILL GO TO TRIAL.

Edmonton, Alta., Oct. 17.—The petition for the dismissal of the protest against the election of Hon. C. W. Cross, as attorney-general of Alberta, was denied by the supreme court yesterday with costs against Mr. Cross. The protest, which is based on alleged ballot-stuffing, will be heard.

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RAILWAY FIGHT.

Calgary Council Will Not Join C. P. R. in Effort to Block Entrance of C. N. R.

Calgary, Alta., Oct. 17.—The council went on record yesterday as refusing to join hands with the Canadian Pacific Railway in the efforts of the latter company to block the entrance of the C. N. R. into the city.

Following arguments of M. S. McCarthy, solicitor for the C. N. R., the council rejected a proposed amendment to the agreement between the Canadian Northern and the city, whereby the railway was required to have its overhead bridges completed over the McLeod trail by October 1, 1913. Instead, the council adopted an amendment, the clause providing that if the company is at any time hindered in its construction of its roadbed by the injunctions of the C. P. R., the terms for construction work shall be extended by a period equal to the delay caused by the injunction.

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INSPECTOR DISMISSED.

Toronto, Oct. 17.—The police commissioners yesterday announced that Inspector Duncan had been dismissed from the force but his salary will continue until November. In regard to the pension, it was decided, in view of his good services for such a long period he would be given his full superannuation allowance providing he pays his annual dues to the end of his thirty-year term, five and a half years away.

Inspector George Kennedy of the morality department, has been appointed to succeed Inspector Duncan as head of the detective force, while Sergeant Alex. McKie has been appointed to his place.

OUR LETTER BOX

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Letters for publication in Daily Times must be received before 10 a. m. When received after that hour they will go over until next day.

A SUPREME COURT CASE.

To the Editor.—There has been going the rounds of the newspapers a report that in the case of Williams v. Sun Life and others in the Supreme Court of Canada at Ottawa that the mortgage had been foreclosed. I shall be glad if you will contradict the above, as it is not a fact. The Sun Life had obtained an order nisi, but not an order absolute, and sold without obtaining the final order of the court for foreclosure.

To quote Chief Justice Macdonald in his judgment: "The sale without leave of the court was a mere irregularity."

I was not aware before that irregularities in matters of law and justice between man and man would be upheld in our courts.

R. T. WILLIAMS.

THE PASSING SHOW

The Empress Theatre.

For baseball enthusiasts the pictures at the Empress theatre will have an especial attraction this week, for slides are being shown illustrating some of the most important plays made in the exciting series of games played between the New York Giants and the Boston Red Sox for the world's championship at New York and Boston. Photographers were on the field, and as soon as the games concluded slides were made and forwarded by the first mails to the Empress theatre.

Heading the bill this week are three young Italians, who are billed as "The Three Italian Troubadours." They are fine singers, and offer as good a number as any of this class seen here. The voices blend magnificently, and the falsetto of one of the three is a musical treat. It is pure and clear. They accompany themselves with guitar and zither and one of the trio plays a tin whistle with good effect. Their repertoire includes some operatic gems.

Mr. Arthur Whitelaw, the well known Irish comedian, has an excellent monologue in which he includes a number of Irish stories and jokes. He sings well, and his closing number, a recitation, entitled "The Top o' the Mornin'" is an effort which shows his power.

Collins and Hart, who originated the burlesque strong men act, are merry-makers who keep their audiences laughing.

The Dancing Maddens, a boy and girl who rank high among vaudeville dancers, sing and do some hard shoe dancing which is capably done.

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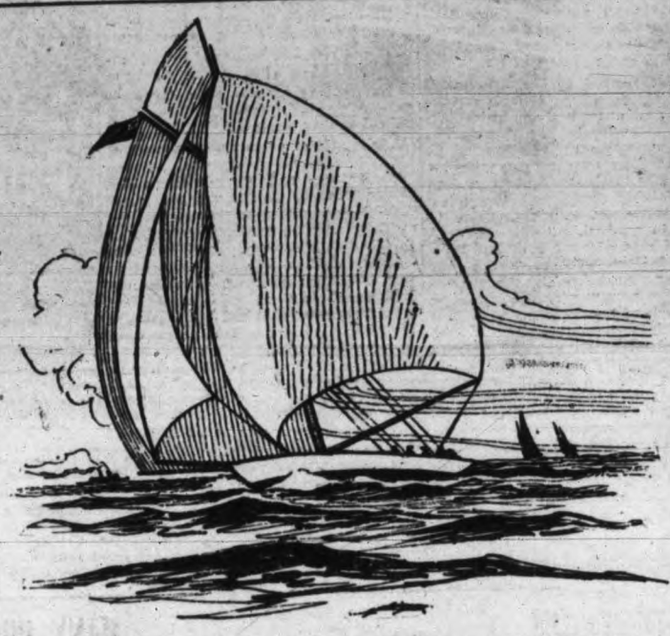

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REPLIES TO ATTACK AT ANGLICAN SYNOD

CHASE OF GUN-A-NOOT IN NORTHERN WILDS

Leader of Party in City—Statement of Case for the Trackers

Otway J. J. Wilkie, now in the realty business in New Westminster, and formerly senior provincial constable for Westminster county, arrived in the city yesterday. His brother, who practices his profession as surveyor with headquarters at Trout Lake, is here also as an examiner in connection with the fall examinations of the B. C. Land Surveyors' Corporation.

Mr. Otway Wilkie was prominently before the public as leader of the party sent out by the provincial government to capture Gun-a-Noot, the murderer, some years ago, but owing to the failure to locate him the matter has been food for considerable criticism ever since. The latest public comment, at the meeting of the Diocesan Synod of Caledonia last week, by a speaker who described the search as a farce, has led Mr. Wilkie to reply in yesterday's News-Advertiser to the strictures.

Speaking of the first hunt, Mr. Wilkie says:

A Perilous Journey.

"In that hunt the police party carried everything on their backs and did this for three hundred miles and went over the Groundhog Mountain in the month of November, a feat which the Indians refused to do, saying too many men die there. Two were coaxed to go from Black Water Lake under pretence of looking for coal, but let the white men lead the way. One of the party, Peter Curran, fell down 60 feet in the snow at the summit. Two others narrowly escaped. A thorough search was made of this country, but not a sign of human beings was found except a cabin and the fireplace in that was grown green with grass, showing that no person had been there for some time. Now that country was totally uninhabited except along the telegraph trail, where two men were stationed every 20 miles. No Indians were between there and Fort Graham except a few, six or seven families, at Bear Lake.

"The best men the country could give for that work were employed on that hunt, viz., Barney Mulvaney, Peter Curran, Pat Byrne, Constable Munro, provincial police, Vancouver, and they lived a good deal on dried salmon, as there was no means to carry food on our backs.

"Everything that could be done to locate or get information of Gun-a-Noot or Hy-a-madan was done on that trip—no stone left unturned. The only information received was that they were at Bear Lake in June and had left there for parts unknown. This was nearly four months before the arrival.

Hunt No Farce.

"This hunt was no farce, but very much in earnest. Climbing mountains in the night away from the camp, watching for any signs of camp fires. After the return to Hazelton of the party the men with the writer remained there till the following May, doing everything possible to obtain information, but without avail. The following August he started out again—two parties this time—the writer and his party—three since dead, never having got over the hardship of that trip, Jack Graham saying he had been used to that kind of work since boyhood, but that trip was the hardest of all. We travelled over the Bear Lake Mountains for seven days and had only covered six miles; part of the way we had eight feet of soft snow and had to break trail. This trip nothing was heard of us for five months, and we made an arrest of an Indian who had been wanted for two years for burglary in Hazelton or Kispiox, but got no tidings of Gun-a-Noot. On this trip we were assisted by two prospectors whom we found in a small cabin in the Otseka country, and who had tried to get out in the snow; had travelled 50 miles in the snow and turned back to their cabin. We found their trail and followed it to their cabin. They had been there since September, and this was towards the end of January. Yes, Jim Bates and his partner Oleson were splendid men and gave us every assistance and fresh goat meat to eat, and as we had not seen fresh meat for five months it tasted very good. Of the original party of the second hunt three are dead. Bert Glassey is alive and a better man I don't ask for in a camp or a trip. He is a splendid all-round man and a man born and raised in the interior. Now with men like the men employed on these trips—men who went through these hardships, poling streams against strong currents, capsizing, sleeping in soaking wet clothes and blankets, tramping through seven and eight feet of snow, sometimes glad to pick a dying salmon out of a stream and eat it, is it fair for this Anglican delegate to say the hunt for Gun-a-Noot was a farce? No, sir, I say the hunt was very much in earnest and every man employed was just as much in earnest as if it had been a relation of his own who had been murdered."

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REVIEWED WORK OF THE PAST YEAR

CANADIAN WOMEN'S CLUB HOLD MEETING

Mrs. F. B. Pemberton Re-Elected President—Strong Executive Committee

The Canadian Women's Club held its annual meeting yesterday afternoon at the Alexandra Club, Mrs. Margaret Jenkins, vice-president, occupying the chair in the absence in England of the president, Mrs. Fred. Pemberton, and urging the members to show a keener interest in the work of the society, laying particular stress on the need of increased attendance at the luncheons which are held for the entertainment of distinguished visitors from time to time.

The principal business of the afternoon consisted in the election of officers, this resulting as follows: President, Mrs. Fred Pemberton (re-elected for the third time); first vice-president, Mrs. Jenkins; second vice-president, Mrs. J. T. Reid; literary correspondent, Miss C. Dupont; treasurer, Mrs. J. S. Gordon; secretary, Mrs. Nicol (all these officers being elected by acclamation). The executive, elected by ballot of the members, consists of Mrs. H. E. Young, Mrs. William Roper, Mrs D. R. Ker, Mrs. E. C. Hart, Mrs. F. T. Clarke, Mrs. Ballantine and Mrs. F. Andrews.

A very hearty vote of thanks was passed to Mrs. Hallam, retiring secretary; Mrs. Annie Cleland, retiring treasurer; and Miss Mara, retiring literary secretary, for their work during the past year. Mrs. G. H. Barnard, a former officer, also being accorded a vote of thanks.

It was decided that the executive should appoint the committees, and the chairman advised the more frequent calling together of the members in order to keep alive the spirit of the club and to give the members more frequent opportunities of meeting together.

Following is the report of the retiring secretary, Mrs. Hallam, which followed the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting:

The club has now completed the third year of its existence and shows a membership of 175, 36 new members having been elected during the past year. Honorary membership was conferred on Mrs. Roper, the wife of the Bishop of Columbia. Twelve meetings of the executive have been held, the majority of members being present at all the meetings. The following functions were held in connection with the club during the year:

In December, Miss Parbury gave a very interesting address on Cashmere. A delightful feature of this meeting was an exhibition of water-colors depicting many of the scenes, introduced by the lecturer.

In January, the club, in conjunction with the Political Equality League, tendered a luncheon to Mrs. Pankhurst.

In February, together with the Men's Canadian Club, your club had the great pleasure of entertaining the eminent English actor, Mr. Forbes Robertson. In the same month the late Miss Agnes Deans Cameron was our guest of honor, and her delightful talk on the Peace River country will be long remembered by those privileged to be present on this, the last, occasion of her presence among us.

In March, E. O. S. Scholefield, the provincial librarian, gave a most instructive and interesting lecture on "The Western Movement." Later in the same month, the club, in co-operation with the Ladies' Musical Club, entertained Miss Kathleen Parlow, the noted Canadian violinist.

In each case these meetings were of especial interest, but, with the exception of the occasion of the visit of Mr. Forbes Robertson, the attendance was not as large as might be expected, considering our membership. With regard to the observance of Empire Day, special mention must be made of the fact that this year addresses were given in each of the schools and some very excellent addresses were given by several members of the club on that occasion.

In July, under the auspices of the Woman's Canadian Club, a garden party was held at the home of the president, Mrs. F. B. Pemberton, to obtain funds to supply and endow a cot in the new Jubilee hospital, to be named the "Woman's Canadian Club Cot." Both socially and financially this gathering was a great success, and the thanks of the club are due in a very great measure to our president, through whose energy and generosity this success was chiefly obtained.

Women and University.

In August, a special meeting of the executive was called to consider the question of the election of women on the board of governors of the new university, and the following resolution was passed: "Whereas a very large proportion of the students of the university will be women, the Women's Canadian Club of Victoria, B. C., deem it advisable that several members of the board of governors shall be women." This resolution was presented to the Honorable Dr. Young, minister of education.

On the occasion of the visit of their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught a basket of roses was sent to H. R. H. on her arrival as a mark of loyalty and devotion of the club.

Through the courtesy of the Men's Canadian Club, the members of this club have been privileged to be present at all the addresses given by their guests during the year, a courtesy which our club acknowledges with the very warmest thanks.

Badges engraved with the coat of arms of the province have been secured for the members.

In closing I wish to express our thanks to the press for the club notices so liberally given throughout the year.

The financial report, read by Mrs. Charles Wilson in the absence of Mrs. Cleland, was very satisfactory, and showed that the finances of the club were in a very fair state.

Mrs. Doull called attention to the fact that the well known authoress, Miss Sarah McNaughton, was to arrive in Victoria within the next week or two, and intimated that the Canadian Women's Club should do something for her entertainment during her visit here. Mrs. Jenkins emphasized the need of greater interest in these functions, saying that in Winnipeg the club was very active and showed the greatest enthusiasm in its meetings, while an effort was being made to extend the membership to the thousand mark. It would be, she thought, something by way of stimulus to the life of the organization to follow the example of the Winnipeg club and get noted speakers to address them in the same manner as the men's organization.

Mrs. Hasell, on behalf of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, Daughters of Empire, extended an invitation to the club to be present next Monday afternoon at the Trafalgar Day gathering of this chapter, the meeting closing shortly afterwards with the singing of "God Save the King."

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Assuredly it will be gratifying to the British Columbia section of the Canadian Highway Association that Thos. W. Wilby, who has just crossed the continent in an automobile describes the roads of this province as the best of all. Interviewed by the Vancouver Province he said:

"Fortune seemed to be with us all the way across as we had no serious accident and only had to make ordinary repairs to the car on two occasions, one was at North Bay, when, after travelling over untold miles of old corduroy roads, we had to replace a bent driving shaft, and the other was at Winnipeg, making repairs to the car in general, after having encountered seas of mud between Winnipeg and Fort William. Every mile of the way was covered by the car under its own power, with the exception of a stretch of twenty miles near Lytton, which necessitated having the car placed on a flat car and shipped by rail.

"At no time did we have the slightest trouble with our engine nor did we find that the trip, despite the fact that we had to ride over the railway ties on certain occasions, was exceptionally hard on tires. Of the four tires which were on the car when we left Halifax, one still remains and is as you can see in almost perfect condition. Only three new tires were placed upon the car during the entire four thousand odd miles."

Mr. Wilby left Halifax, accompanied by Mr. F. V. Haney as driver, on August 27 last under the auspices of the Canadian Highway Association and was given the task of finding a road from one end of Canada to the other. When he left Halifax he dipped his tires into the water of the Atlantic and will do the same in the Pacific at Alberni, where he ends his tour. On reaching Regina and with the thought of the difficult trip through the roadless Rocky Mountains, Mr. Wilby decided to secure the services of another automobile expert, Mr. E. Wise, who completed the journey to Vancouver with him.

At New Westminster, which he reached about noon Monday, Mr. Wilby was entertained at the New Westminster club, by the automobile club of that city. Speaking briefly during the club luncheon, Mr. Wilby stated that the roads of British Columbia were the best that he had encountered in the course of his whole tour. He also said that the construction of an interprovincial highway would do a great deal to cement the various provinces together for the common good. Railways, he stated, bind the provinces together, but it remained for a roadway to still further cement them.

BRITISH COMPETITION.

"American manufacturers of moderate priced automobiles have no cause for worry over the reports of the formation of a new British combine for the express purpose of bringing out an English car that will successfully meet American competition."

This is the opinion of Thomas Byrom, of the firm of Byrom & Co., Limited, one of London's largest motor car selling concerns. Mr. Byrom is spending a week in Detroit at the R-C-H factory, being distributor in Great Britain for this Detroit made machine.

Not Noted for Quantity.

"I do not say this through any lack of patriotism. I make the statement because I know the conditions as they exist in Great Britain and how well they have been met by American cars," continued Mr. Byrom. "The main reason is that in Great Britain the quantity necessary to permit the marketing at a price to meet that of the American cars cannot be produced. British manufacturers have never been noted for quantity production and there is no reason to believe that they can start with automobiles, and without quantity production a price near that of American cars cannot hope to be reached and quality maintained.

Buy Parts Abroad.

"As a matter of fact, many parts of English automobiles are still secured from France and Germany, which rather tends to combat the statement that cheaper workmanship would have much to do with lowering the price of the English made car. England's only chance would be a protective tariff so very high that the price of American cars would have to be greatly increased. This could not be done with American cars alone. Our government would not stand for such a regulation and when it comes to imports from other countries, naturally the tariff would affect parts which England is now getting from abroad.

"Furthermore, when it comes to quantity production, there is not the demand in England to warrant it. The manufacturers would be forced to look to the British colonies to take up a great part of their product, and here, again, they would find that the Americans have the advantage, because English cars would be built to suit English road conditions, while American cars, built to suit American road conditions, would be much preferable in our colonies, where highways are very similar to those in the states.

No Cause for Worry.

"As a matter of fact, American manufacturers have done much in the way of designing to appeal to the English custom. England has always been noted for high class body work, but the man who is putting this up for an argument would find that the body work on a low-priced English car could not be obtained much more cheaply than in America, and it would not be possible to better the American product along this line in cars selling at the same price.

"No, I do not think there is much cause for worry for the American manufacturer. Indeed, I think the talk of the British combine is a good deal of a myth, even should it be started, I think many obstacles that the promoters cannot now see will crop up. To me it looks as though this talk of British opposition to American cars was about the best advertisement the American car could have abroad."

USE OF TAR.

Commenting on the second annual report of the Road Board of the United Kingdom which has been recently published, and the use of tar as a preservative of road surfaces, a subject that is of considerable importance to Canadian road authorities, the London Times says:

"There can be no two opinions that both in the case of dusty roads of last summer and the wet roads of the present year the judicious use of tar has worked wonders. It would be difficult, even in the case of a variable and treacherous climate like that of England, to find two summers more unlike one another than those of this year and last year, but both for the crumbling roads of 1911, and for the sodden roads of 1912 the tar has been found to give excellent results. This is more especially the case with the soft roads, intended for rural traffic, made with local sandstone, as in Surrey, for instance, or with some of the more porous varieties of limestone. On certain of the Surrey roads tarred three years ago, which received a light coating of tar this spring, there is surprisingly little wear perceptible, whereas on the roads of the same character in the immediate vicinity where no tar was spread the rain is running in streamlets along the channels worn during last summer in the soft metalling, the surface having been pounded into dust and distributed over the hedges and gardens. Not only does the tarred road behave better under the elastic tire, but it certainly throws off the wet and keeps sound much longer than the untreated macadam."

There is abundant evidence in and around Bristol, where upwards of 100 miles of roads and streets have been treated to a coating of tar, to prove the correctness of the above statement, and this method could probably be used to advantage in many parts of Canada.

MUNICIPALITIES BUY AUTOS.

The October number of Municipal Engineering contains a great deal of interesting information on the use of automobiles and motor driven equipment in municipal departments. It is shown that, in two hundred of the leading cities of the United States there are approximately 1,500 automobiles and pieces of motor-driven equipment in use in the fire, police, building, street and engineering departments. Less than 10 per cent. of this number was in service three years ago, and there were practically no municipally owned automobiles in operation in 1906. The extent to which automobiles are being introduced into municipal service is shown by the fact that during the month of May, 1912, more than a million dollars' worth of automobiles were purchased for public work.

Where automobiles have been used extensively in municipal work it is shown that a reduction in operating expense of from 5 per cent. to 12 per cent. results, with a corresponding increase in efficiency.

TO MAP 10,000 MILES.

It has been said, in these days of fast and luxurious transcontinental trains, powerful and speedy automobiles, and bird-like aeroplanes, that it was only the early pioneers, toiling across countless miles of prairie and mountain and desert, who realized fully the magnitude of America. We are told that in our day transportation development has dwarfed our realization of distances.

But there is at least one young man who is going to know something about distances. He is H. A. Stewart, of Indianapolis, who recently started on a map-making tour which will cover more than 10,000 miles of the United States. When he returns he will have a fairly good idea of what our sturdy forefathers faced when they started westward, in prairie schooner, or on horseback, or on foot, seeking new homes.

Mr. Stewart will make his journey on a motorcycle for the Scarborough Company, map makers. His equipment consists only of his machine, what baggage he can carry on it, notebooks and instruments. His official measuring machine is a Warner autometer, which is mounted on the handlebars of his motorcycle, always under his watchful eye.

On this autometer's hourly and daily reports will be based the maps which will be issued on his return, showing facts and figures on the best automobile and motorcycle roads in several of the middle west and western states.

PROLONGED TOUR.

Thirty-three thousand miles covered in the space of eighteen months is the modest mileage record of Edward Veirs, of San Francisco, in his little Buick touring car. He is now driving through the Northwest in the course of his duties as travelling salesman for the Valvoline Company on the Pacific Coast.

Neither weather nor road conditions are taken into consideration when he makes up his mind to "hit the trail," hence the mileage piled up. Jaunts of 250 or 300 miles are mere incidentals with him; for he makes no more preparation for trips of long distance than if he were to spin over the boulevards for an hour. If he could cash in the confidence he places in the Buick he would have the United States mint appearing like a cancelled postage stamp. Furthermore, Edward has put one over on the high cost of living dilemma by refusing to spend even a nickel for repairs for his machine.

Car Handy For Him.

With his car ever ready to carry him over all kinds of roads, Mr. Veirs is enabled to get in closer touch with his territory with the result that his order book has a dictionary looking like a cigarette paper. He has had the car in continuous service since March, 1911, and has averaged approximately 63 miles a day for every 24 hours of the 18 months.

He is not a bit modest about what sort of a grind to which he introduces his gasoline chariot. Ordinarily the owner of a brand new scandal cart would not tolerate for a second anyone touching it. Not so with the strenuous Edward. Just to see what the car would do when he first received it, he drove it to Stockton from San Francisco, gaining the distinction of taking the first automobile over the road that spring. The mud was only up to the hubs and it took exactly 24 hours to cover the 110 miles, which distance usually is made in 3½ hours. It was so bespattered with mud that it resembled a prairie schooner.

Tours Nevada and Utah.

From Stockton he drove over the northern part of California to Redding, where he remained for a few days and then struck out for Sacramento, from which city he motored to Humboldt county. The machine has made three trips to Nevada and went through every town of any size in that state, traversed many miles of Utah roads and then returned to San Francisco by way of Truckee.

By way of amusement, he entered the little Buick in the Sacramenta-to-Lake-Tahoe endurance run and walked off with the prize. This contest is no child's play, for many miles of the route are in second and third speeds, placing a most severe test on the power and transmission of a car.

When Mr. Veirs' business called him to the Northwest he turned over the motor in his Buick, trampled on the accelerator and was on his way. He had some laborious tasks with the mud in Southern Oregon, but the little Buick pulled him through. He paid a short visit to the Buick Automobile Company agency on East Pike street and then rolled merrily on his way.

AUTOS IN HOLY LAND.

London, Oct. 16.—The spirit of modern progress is moving in the Holy Land in a way that is playing havoc with its ancient picturesqueness and hoary traditions, according to the Rev. S. F. Graham, president of the Wesleyan Theological Seminary at Boston, U. S. A. Mr. Graham has just arrived in London on his way home, after conducting a party of divinity students through Egypt and Palestine, and when interviewed he spoke regretfully of the disillusioning effect of his visit to the birthplace of Christianity.

"In Egypt," he said, "the new order of things did not seem to matter so much. One rather expects that sort of thing where the hand of English influence is felt to any degree. But in the Holy Land it is quite different. It is a shock to one's pre-conceived notions and religious ideals to find a rampant twentieth century civilization sweeping away all of the hallowed associations of scenes where the Saviour walked and talked when on earth. And the shock comes without warning or preparation. In the first place, the pilgrim now goes to Jesusalem in a comfortable, up-to-date railway carriage, attended by all the luxuries of modern travel, instead of by camel caravan, as in the days with which we are perhaps more familiar through our Bible studies. The caravan is still there, of course, as stately and picturesque and fascinating as ever. We saw many of them from our carriage window, slowly threading their way across the desert wastes, while our train swept by at express speed, with a shrill shriek of mockery from the whistle of our steam-driven steed of man's creation.

"And when we come to Jerusalem—the seat of Solomon in all his glory, the city of Herod and his luxuries, the theatre of Jesus and His wondrous message to the world—what surprises there are in store! Great blocks of business and government buildings rise in all the strident newness of modern architecture upon the ruined sites of ancient temples, while the crumbling walls have been cut away to widen the historic gateways to the former sacred city. Where Jaffa gate once stood, to be closed at sundown against all stragglers of the night, is now a broad, open avenue of imposing aspect. Many of the picturesquely narrow and crooked streets in the heart of the city have also been widened and straightened to admit of the clamorous traffic of electric tramcars and whizzing taxicabs, which are often hampered by the serene disdain of some obstructing countryman mounted upon his primitive and slothful ass. Electric lights are everywhere, flashing their message of the new in public buildings, hotels, private houses and street lamps, and in glittering signs of potted foods and patent medicines.

Motor Cars in Jerusalem.

"Motor cars are quite common, too, and it sometimes brought a laugh to the lips to see a solemn, turbaned Turk or Arab sheik in flowing caftan whirl by in a handsome touring car of the latest model. Even the watering cart, exactly like you see in your own London streets, has replaced the bearded Jew with his goatskin of water, while an alarm of fire promptly brings out a clattering rush of petrol-driven engines, ladder trucks and water towers of the most improved patterns.

"There is also an excellent system of water supply and drainage, and in all of the hotels and in many of the houses the porcelain bathtub is no longer an unknown luxury. Reinforced concrete plays a large part in the construction of the newer buildings, besides steel girders and other devices of modern civilization. But the most amazing thing of all that I found in Jerusalem was the moving picture theatre, outside of which stood a native 'barker,' who, in a sonorous voice, invited passers-by to enter and witness the exciting contests of the Olympic games at Stockholm, or see how the famous American cowboy ropes a steer!

"After that our faculties were benumbed and nothing more surprised us, though we encountered innumerable startling innovations throughout the hoary land of the patriarchs. Indeed, in every department of commercial enterprise and activity modern methods are being rapidly brought into vogue. On the rich plains of Sharon and on the tablelands between Jaffa and Jerusalem steam-driven threshing machines and modern harvesters may be seen, while everywhere self-binding reapers and mowing machines and plows illustrate the tremendous contrasts wrought by the centuries over the primitive method of reaping by hand and threshing out the grain by tread of oxen on a crudely constructed floor. All over the country, too, particularly in the orange and olive groves, the old-fashioned way of raising water for irrigation and other purposes has been superseded by pumps driven by motors.

Tramways in Damascus.

"A well-equipped tramway system and an electric lighting plant are now being installed in Damascus, the oldest city in the world, and an elaborate collection of improved mining machinery is scattered along the shores of the Dead Sea, busily extracting the liberal deposits of mineral wealth so long undisturbed, while a swift fleet of up-to-date motor boats now sputter their way through the waters of the Sea of Galilee, where Jesus walked upon the waves and commanded the storm to be still. From a strictly progressive point of view I dare say these boats are a much-needed boon to the traveller and the local tradesmen, but one cannot help feeling that they are sadly out of place. And worse still to contemplate, the Turkish government now proposes, I am informed, to place a similar fleet of boats upon the River Jordan! I do not think it would be possible to find a more striking demonstration of the eternal truth that the world does move and that the great law of nature is change.

"Similar transformations, though in a somewhat lesser degree, have also taken place in Jericho, Jaffa and Beersheba, at which latter place water is now pumped by motor from the ancient well once used by Abraham. All of these innovations have been brought about, I understand, during the regime of the Young Turks, who, whatever their faults, were at least inspired by the spirit of progress."

REDUCE COST OF LIVING.

The cost of living will be reduced by $1 per week to each family of six persons in the United States when the present methods of horse delivery are replaced by motor wagon systems. A further reduction of 50 cents will take place when the motor wagon is employed instead of the railroad for hauling food products direct from the truck farming districts to the centres of food consumption.

For the whole country the aggregate yearly saving in the cost of hauling food products alone would amount to the enormous sum of $1,200,000,000 at the present time if power wagon haulage were to be substituted as far as possible for the wasteful methods now in use, and this would be just about enough to pay for all the machines that would be necessary to take care of this kind of traffic.

These startling facts were disclosed by an investigation just concluded by The Power Wagon, of Chicago. Discussing the situation in detail this journal cites other independent authorities to corroborate its figures.

B. C. GUIDE BOOK.

Following on the heels of a recent announcement to the effect that the Vancouver Automobile Club was working on the publication of an official map of British Columbia and a guide book to the different roads of the province comes a statement from Mr. O. I. Fox, secretary of the club, that the members of the executive of the club have no intention of issuing such a publication, but that they will endorse the first publication which is issued which meets the requirements laid down by the members of the executive committee. This statement is corroborated by Mr. F. R. McD. Russell, president of the club, who states that the club has not the time nor the money to go into the publication of guide books.—News-Advertiser.

USES CAR FOR HEALTH.

Because his health will not permit him to ride in trains or electric railway cars for any long distance, W. E. Schultz, wealthy manufacturer, of Watertown, Wis., is forced to travel about the country in an automobile to transact necessary business.

About a month ago Mr. Schultz purchased a Nyberg "Six-60" tourabout, and since that time has run it six thousand miles. He has just made a trip from Watertown to Indianapolis. Mr. Schultz carries a mechanic with him all the time, and proposes to take his car to the Isle of Pines this winter.

AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

The rank and wealth of Wisconsin as a motoring state is indicated by a compilation of statistics by A. J. Cobban, in charge of the motor registry and license department of the secretary of state's office at Madison. During the period from January 1 to July 1, 1912, there were licensed, 23,505 motor cars and 3,816 motorcycles, a total of 27,321, or one motor vehicle to every 85 persons resident in Wisconsin, according to the given population of 2,333,860.

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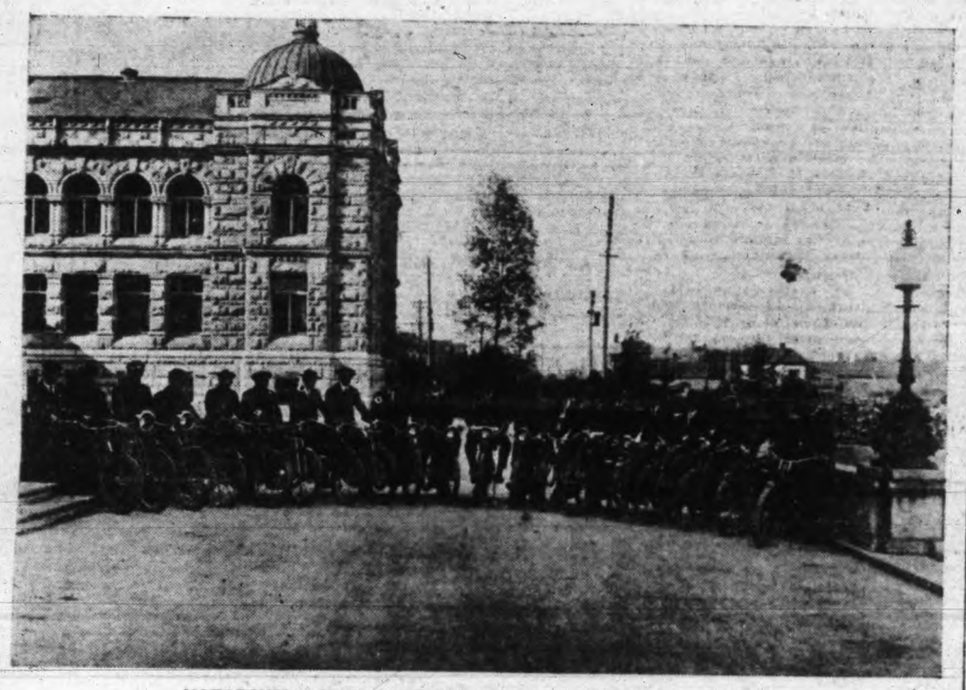
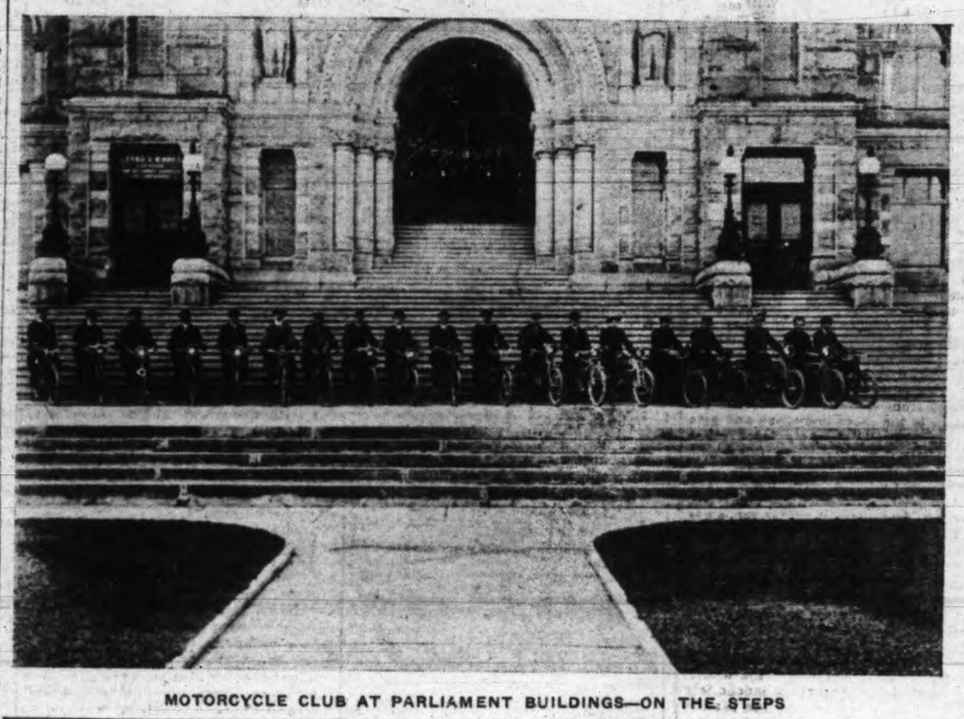
That gasoline and electric motors have almost supplanted the horse as means of propulsion for fire-fighting equipment was emphasized more strongly than ever at the fortieth annual convention of the International Association of Fire Engineers, held at Denver. For the first time in the history of fire apparatus exhibitions held in connection with the conventions, there was not one single piece of horse-drawn apparatus shown at the exhibit. Motor equipment has crowded out the horse. Of the $100,000 worth of motor apparatus on exhibition most interest among 500 fire chiefs was created by the monster pump which, it was claimed, would deliver 1,000 gallons per minute at 20 pounds pump pressure. The pump is a multiple stage centrifugal turbine pump with 165 horse-power, six-cylinder motor, combined steam and electric pump regulator, steamer on battery front truck.

The Danish postmaster-general has devised an ingenious method of providing money for the education of the blind. A copper coin, a luck-penny, is to be made in the royal mint, and is to be sold to the parents of every new-born child who has the gift of sight by the nurse attending the mother. Parents are to pay whatever sum they think fit for the luck-penny, which is worth only a halfpenny and bears the device: "The child seeing the light for the first time presents a tribute to the child who will never see."



MOTORCYCLE CLUB IN FRONT OF PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS



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What are Peps?

Peps is the name bestowed upon a new scientific preparation put up into tabloid or pastille form, which provides an entirely new and effective treatment for coughs, colds and lung and throat troubles generally.

Did it never occur to you as peculiar that when you have a cough or a cold, or any chest trouble, you should apply medicine—not to your lungs, but to your stomach?

Look at it the other way round. Suppose you suffered from some stomach complaint—indigestion or ulceration. How strange you would think it if you were asked to take a medicine which had to be breathed in, and which went—not to your stomach, but to your lungs and breathing passages?

There is no connection between the stomach and the lungs (see diagram below), and when for a cold or a cough or any chest complaint you take some medicine, such as liquid cough mixtures, syrups, lozenges, which go—not to your lungs, but to your stomach—you are wasting time.

Peps—this newest remedy for coughs, colds, and lung troubles—go to the lungs and breathing-tubes, direct. Peps are really pine fumes and certain highly beneficial medicinal extracts specially prepared by a new scientific process and then condensed into tabloid form. It is like making a breathable gas solid!

You put a "Pep" on your tongue and let it dissolve. As it does so the healing essences it contains turn into vapor, and you BREATHE them direct to your lungs and air passages!

These healing essences pass down your breathing-tubes, bathing all the inflamed surfaces, which no liquid or solid matter can ever reach. In health-giving pine fumes, and carrying health and healing wherever they penetrate.

These tissue-strengthening, pleasant fumes, so liberated from the dissolving Pep, are not only healing in their operation, they are antiseptic. They kill the germs of consumption, catarrh, and those many and varied throat and lung troubles so common to-day. Peps fumes—like the fumes from nature's Pine woods—get direct to the lungs and chest, and give instant relief to colds, tightness, bronchitis, etc. In short, Peps bring pine forest air to your home!

You have a nasty night cough? Take a Pep before going to bed—your cough will not trouble you! Your lungs are a little weak, and going from the warm house into the cold air outside makes you cough? Just before going out put a Pep in your mouth—there will be no coughing! Your throat feels "stuffed up," your chest feels tight, and your breathing troublesome? Peps will put matters right for you very quickly.

Peps, while gradually turning to vapor as soon as put into the mouth, will retain their goodness indefinitely if kept dry. Each little Peps pastille is packed in an air-tight wrapping, which is easily removed, and they are packed in neat tin pocket boxes. They are not sticky (the minister or public speaker can carry a few loose in the vest pocket); they do not spoil the appetite and ruin the digestion, like cough syrups and mixtures do; and—they DO cure coughs, colds and lung trouble!

Just as the out-door treatment for consumption—the "breathing" treatment—is now admitted to be the only rational treatment, so the "Peps" treatment for colds and lung troubles is the only rational home treatment.

Peps cure catarrh, coughs, bronchitis, sore throat, tightness or aching across the chest, difficulty in breathing, night cough, hoarseness, asthma, laryngitis, smoker's throat, etc. Best for children because free from opium, morphine, or any poison.

All druggists and stores sell Peps at 50c. a box or 3 for $1.25. Should your dealer be out of stock, order direct (post paid) from Peps Co., Dupont St., Toronto, or 52 Princess St., Winnipeg.

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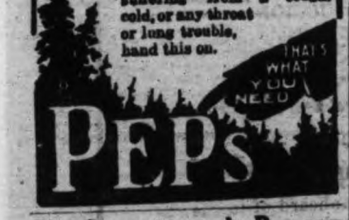

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2,000 feet of the greatest motion picture production ever exhibited in this city. Everybody should see these pictures. Remember the date and place, Bijou Theatre.

SUFFRAGETTE NAILS DOWN BIG PLATFORM

Barbara Wylie Tells Press Her Sisters Will Do Things in Canada

Miss Barbara Wylie, the British suffragette who has come to Canada to conduct the campaign of the Canadian branch of the Women's Political and Social Equality League, was frank and vigorous in her outline of the proposed reforms undertaken by her sisters in Canada under her direction. To the Montreal Witness, on landing, she told something of her plans.

Miss Wylie spoke intelligently of the suffrage movement, explaining the larger significance of the demand for votes for women, and justifying their militant tactics in view of what she called the absolutely unjust, cruel and disgraceful conduct and trickery of the Asquith government.

"There may be a time when to keep your patience is no longer a virtue," she said.

She spoke as a highly intelligent woman, burning with the conviction that her cause was right and that the women had a deep and serious grievance until their demand was granted. She also showed plainly a spirit of determination and resolute intention not to give up the fight for a minute until the battle had been won. This was evident from her tone of voice and the way she threw back her head as she spoke of the conflict and the reasons why they should succeed. In the matter of argument she was well prepared, and soon showed that she was perfectly conversant with every phase of the case and ready with an apparently convincing answer to every objection.

To Interview Borden.

She was going to join the Canadian suffragists, she said, in asking Mr. Borden and his government to grant the vote to the women of Canada. That was her main business. She and her brother would also go to visit another brother at Maple Creek while on this side of the water. They were going to the Windsor Hotel here and would wait in Montreal till she wrote to a suffrage leader in Toronto and learned what the plans were. Then she would visit both Ottawa and Toronto.

Miss Wylie believed that the government could easily amend the Electoral Act so as to give the women the vote in Federal elections without the necessity of having the British North America Act amended by the British parliament. And she thought that the objection that the voters' lists used at Federal elections were merely whatever they happened to be in the provinces and therefore the suffragists would have to appeal to the provincial governments, was not a valid one. Mr. Borden could solve the problem easily enough if he would.

"If the government will not grant the demand will you encourage the suffragists on this side to adopt militant tactics?" the Witness reporter inquired.

"The women of Canada don't need any such encouragement, they are quite able to look after their case," was her evasive reply.

"The provocation, of course, is not the same here as it is in England, where we have been deceived, insulted and unjustly and most shamefully treated by the government. They had our Conciliation Bill, which had received a larger vote in the House of Commons than any of the Government's other bills, but they refused to go on with it or to allow any opportunity for the discussion of the bill.

"We were laughed at at first, but we have shaken and practically defeated the government by our campaign. I am confident that we shall soon win what we want."

Chances With Conservatives.

"Should the Liberal government be defeated within a year or two, and the Conservative party come into power, what would your chances be then?" Miss Wylie was asked.

"We have never made any demand upon the Conservative party of late, and I can't say what they would do, but we would certainly keep up the fight."

Miss Wylie was asked if she justified the attempt to burn the theatre over on the other side a short time ago.

"Yes I do," she replied, "the theatre was empty at the time. The woman who threw in the torch waited till everybody was out except two attendants. No lives were endangered at all. Mr. Hobhouse, a member of the cabinet, had declared that there was not the same demand for votes for women as there had been for the extension of the franchise for men when the latter had tried to burn a theatre. We said that if that was all that was needed—foolish as the argument was—we could easily come up to the requirement and one of our number attempted to burn a theatre."

Hurling the Hatchet.

"What about the hurling of the hatchet at Mr. Asquith?" was the next from the reporter.

"It never touched him, and even if he had got a crack on the head, it might not have done him any harm—it might have pounded a little sense into him."

Miss Wylie had previously spoken in the most denunciatory and bitter manner of the British premier, for the "treachery and trickery and injustice" with which he had treated them.

She said that the suffragists were an anti-Government party. Like Parnell, they would fight any government that refused to give them their rights.

Asked as to the deeper meaning of the movement, Miss Wylie said the women claimed the franchise because they had a right to it.

"Women will never be respected nor hold the place and influence they should have as long as they are denied the right to vote. We also want to exert an influence on legislation in regard to subjects, such as public health, and social questions, which we think are more important than commerce, and the things that men think most important."

She said that the Women's Social and Political Union to which she belonged had many members living in Canada.

LLOYD GEORGE AND THE LAND QUESTION

Landlordism Forces Hand of Chancellor to Preserve Population

It is said that the people of rural England are now in full flight. They have waited long but now they are going. They have ceased to believe in the possibility of English change. So they are now leaving, according to several authorities, among them Harold Spender, who writes in a London paper. They are going because they want room to live. They are leaving a country of enclosures and game preserves for a country where the gates of the land have been opened by strong, humane, courageous hands.

Here, for instance, is Cornwall, the most lovely and fertile of English counties. The long arm of Lyonesse reaches far westward into the warm waters of the Gulf stream, and those waters from distant Mexico bring with them some of the warmth and richness of the land they have left behind. Here, alone of the English counties, the flowers and plants of the tropics will thrive in the open air. Here, whenever the strong Atlantic winds permit, the land bears with little effort a luxuriant growth, fruits and vegetables springing up almost at a touch of the rich soil.

And yet the population has steadily declined for half a century:

1861	369,000
1881	330,000
1891	322,000
1901	322,000
1911	328,000

The slight recovery of the last census (1911) means little, except that, with the immense new rush of tourists into Cornwall, there has come a population, largely of German and Swiss waiters, to minister to their needs.

Why, then, is the population practically stationary in one of the most fertile counties of England? The answer is not to be found wholly or mainly in the decline of the tin mines, which seem now to be recovering some of their lost prosperity. Nor in that fatal fascination of South Africa, which has encouraged in the extreme west of England a thoroughly bad form of emigration, taking the men, often not to return, except to die of miners' phthisis, and leaving the women to live empty lives of compulsory widowhood. Those things have hit Cornwall hard, but with good laws and a sound system she would have recovered. Recovered but for one thing. That is what has been roughly but accurately, called the "land monopoly."

For there is no county of England where the land is more tightly held. Wherever you move among the people you hear one cry—the cry for land. Wherever you journey, by boat or on foot, you find little towns crowded and pressed together amid vast expanses of pasture-land. I have seen dirty, narrow, ill-built slums even in the little fishing villages—slums paying rents not much below the level of London. The smallest inquiry always reveals the fact that these slums are due to one and the same cause—the refusal to build or to sell land for building at prices possible for working-class habitation.

Sailing to the top of a little creek the other day, I found a village where not a cottage had a square yard of land beyond a window-box. I found that the landlord never on any account allowed his laborers to rent a garden. It might interfere with their willingness to work for the farmers.

The results of all this crowding are really appalling. It has produced a serious spread of consumption. The Cornwall insurance committee, which is acting with commendable promptitude, has discovered that there are 400 deaths from consumption every year, meaning some 1,400 or 15,000 cases at any given time. And this in one of the emptiest of English counties!

Cornwall, indeed, suffers not merely from a bad system of tenure in the countryside, but also from an almost equally bad system of town tenancy. The town holdings commission revealed a very extensive use, throughout Cornwall, of the "three lives" system of leaseholding. It is a peculiarly bad system—practically a "gamble" in houses. It means that a house is returnable to the ground landlord after the death of three holders in succession—a period that may mean ninety years, thirty, or, as actually in some cases, only nine of ten. Whether in that form or another, the leasehold system lies heavily on Cornwall.

The result is that not merely are the towns and villages packed tight, but the buildings are too often old and bad. The fear of adding to the rates on the buildings, intensified by the decline of population, has kept sanitary conditions far back in the Middle Ages. There are towns in Cornwall without proper drainage, streets without proper water supply, villages without the very elements of what we call civilization.

As to housing, take one case. The little town of Fowey—immortalized as Troy Town—is perhaps the loveliest and least vulgarized of all the Cornish townships. Of recent years, in the country behind Fowey, there has been a great extension of the output of "china clay," a very precious raw material for which the world clamors. The Great Western railway have run a railway to Fowey and developed wharves, with up-to-date modern "elevators" for loading the clay on the ships, the harbor board at Fowey has deepened the harbor, and now ships from all the world come crowding into the port of Fowey to carry away the china clay in return for the cargoes which they bring. The industry is booming, and there is work for a great population.

All is well, but for one thing. The landlord who owns Fowey absolutely refuses to build any more houses for the working classes at Fowey. He will allow hotels and allow lodging houses—in moderation—but no working-class houses. None at all beyond those that exist already. What is the result? The men who work at the wharves in Fowey have to tramp by day and by night—for the work is often night work—from long distances, sometimes even as far as St. Austell or Lostwithiel.

"Ah!" says the sentimental tripper. "But what a good work! To keep that lovely county, that beautiful coast, free from houses!" The sentimental tripper who thus defend the landlord meets with his reward.

Here is a New Proposition Promising 100% Profit

What is the use of worrying yourself over opportunities you have missed—propositions which you turned down because they were not promising, yet which subsequently turned out to be profitable.

Almost every man during his business career, passes up propositions, which when first presented to him, fail to produce a favorable impression, yet which subsequently proved successful.

NO MAN CAN HOPE TO BECOME INDEPENDENT ON HIS SAVINGS LODGED IN THE SAVINGS BANK, DRAWING INTEREST AT EITHER THREE OR FOUR PER CENT.

At the end of twenty-five years, twenty-five dollars in the Savings Account has a profit of but $5.50 when compounded semi-annually, and $5.50 is such a small amount as to be of little or no consequence in a matter of re-investment, yet twenty-five dollars is the price of 100 shares to-day in the Standard Coal Company, which shares have a par value of $1.00 each.

Anybody Can Buy 100 Shares

The Trustee, W. F. Alloway, Jr., will receive the applications for shares held by him in blocks of 100, at 25c the share on such easy terms as: Cash down per 100 shares, $10, balance being payable in three equal monthly instalments of $5.00 each—so easy that almost anybody can handle 100 shares.

The price of shares held by the Trustee will be advanced from 25c to 35c per share and subsequent 50c and 75c per share. You have the guarantee that the price will be advanced by the Trustee from 25c to 35c per share—a profit of 10c per share in a few days' time—a revenue of $100 if you hold 1,000 shares, purchased at 25c.

Subsequently the price will be advanced to 50c per share, and if you hold your shares until then your profit will be 25c on every share, purchased at 25c, which is 100 per cent. on your original investment.

In other words, you might buy 1,000 shares to-day at 25c and sell out one-half your holding when the price is 50c, and retain the other half free of cost to yourself—a safe method is the shrewd investor's plan of making good money quick.

It is only a matter of weeks until the price is 75c or $1.00 per share. You take no chance whatsoever since you have the assurance of the increase in price.

Your money is amply and fully secured at all times, since the property controlled by the Company, comprising thirteen square miles, is considered to be one of the richest areas of coal land in Canada—six square miles of which is inside of the limited Anthracite belt on the Pacific Coast.

If you can invest $100 to-day you can make the first payment of 1,000 shares at 25 cents, the remainder of the purchase price is payable in three equal monthly instalments of $50 each.

With $10 cash you can handle 100 shares, paying the balance in three equal monthly instalments of $5 each—so easy that almost anyone can handle 100 shares.

Don't pass over this proposition lightly. Don't say to yourself this investment doesn't contain any promise of immediate profit, because that would be unfair to yourself and to the proposition. You have the assurance of the early advance in price—it is only a matter of days and weeks until the minimum price will be doubled, therefore get in on the ground floor.

READ WHAT THE EMINENT ENGINEER, MR. ALEXANDER FAULDS, SAYS REGARDING THE PROPOSITION, AND FAULDS IS A MAN WHO KNOWS.

FACTS AND FIGURES CONCERNING PROPERTY.

Before the reader could be expected to fully appreciate the report of the Engineer, Alexander Faulds, as to the coal value and mining possibilities of the two properties of the Standard Coal Company, it would be necessary that particulars be furnished concerning the standing of the Engineer. By way of reference, the following facts concerning Mr. Faulds are submitted:

Mr. Faulds administered the development of the Leary (now Ravensdale Collieries) for the Green River Construction Company, in 1898; the re-construction and improving of the Renton Collieries for the Seattle Electric Company in 1900; and the operating of the Alexandra Colliery of the Wellington Colliery Company until closed down in 1902.

He was engaged in 1902 by the Provincial Government of British Columbia to investigate and report upon the cause of the colliery explosion at Fernie, and again in June, 1904, as Acting Inspector of Coal and Metalliferous Mines for Vancouver Island and District.

In 1906-08 he administered the development of the Middlesboro Collieries of the Nicola Valley Coal and Coke Co., Ltd., and in 1911-12 administered the development of the British Pacific Coal Co.'s property on Skidegate Inlet.

With few exceptions, Mr. Faulds has examined and reported upon all the coal fields on the Pacific Coast, as follows:

Franklin, Dawson, Black Diamond and Newcastle Collieries, operated by the Pacific Coast Company; Issquah Collieries (formerly Gilman), operated by the Issquah Coal Company; Pocahontas Colliery near Palmer, operated by the Moore Investment Company, all of Seattle; Roslyn Collieries, near Cle Elum, operated by the North Western Improvement Company, and Montezuma Collieries, near Fairfax, both of Tacoma, and the coal fields near Centralia, all in the State of Washington, U. S. A.

Also in Alberta, Bankhead, Cochrane, Cowley, Lundbreck, Lethbridge and Taber coal fields.

Also in British Columbia, Princton, Nicola Valley, Queen Charlotte and Vancouver Island, Skeena and Bulkley Valley coal fields and Portland Canal.

Member of Mining Institute of Scotland, since incorporated in 1877; member of Institution of Mining Engineers, London, England, since founded in 1889; member of Canadian Mining Institute, Montreal, since 1908; government certificated colliery manager of competency first class for Great Britain and Province of British Columbia.

QUANTITY 70,000,000 TONS COAL IN MINE NO. 1.

"From the geological evidences, the various outcrops of coal seams and development by The British Pacific Coal Company, Ltd., and the results of boring by the B. C. Amalgamated Coal Company and The American Canadian Coal Company, Ltd., and from other available information gained by the reporter on Graham Island, we can approximately and that very conservatively, from the facts indicating the general permanence and continuity of coal seams, through the property, however variable they may be in detail, taking them horizontally and neglecting the dip subject to the geological effects of tilting, folding, faulting and loss in working, estimate such quantities of merchantable coal that will pass over 1¼-in. spaced bar screen at 1,000 tons per acre per foot thick, which would amount to 70,000,000 tons for an aggregate thickness of 36 feet of coal in the three coal seams as developed in Camp Robertson, and these at an output of 1,000 tons daily, or one-quarter million tons annually, would last over 25 years.

EXCELLENT INVESTMENT PROPOSITION.

"Your property is well situated, being on tidewater.

"In Vancouver the selling prices per ton of 2,000 lbs. of anthracite from Pennsylvania, $15; Banff, $9; egg, stove and nut, $8.50; Crow's Nest semi-anthracite sells at $9.50, and at Prince Rupert at $11.00.

"That there is an abundant field for the investment of capital is shown by the success attendant upon the operation of established enterprise.

"Mrs. Joan Dunsmuir, now deceased, and wife of the late Hon. R. Dunsmuir, received from the Wellington Colliery Companys operations in ten years $3,000,000 or $300,000 per annum.

"From these operations the late Hon. R. Dunsmuir was made a millionaire and the capital furnished for constructing the E. & N. Railway on Vancouver Island.

"An average profit of $773,755 per annum for the years of 1907, 1908 and 1909, the average profit per ton of coal being $1.00 has been realized from these coals after allowing for all expenses, other than depreciation or exhaustion of minerals, and allowing for the addition for 1909 of $20,775 interest on the mortgage of the San Francisco properties which were leased to the Western Fuel Company of Nanaimo at a monthly rental and valued at $1,000,000.

HISTORY WILL REPEAT ITSELF.

"You know that the history of coal mining in British Columbia record shares offered in mines that are to-day the most prosperous and most profitable, as low as 10 cents per share at the inception of the company operating mines. In many instances the shares are worth $100 per share to-day. The Crow's Nest Pass Company, in which shares were sold at 10 cents a share a few years ago, brought the price of $350 per share when the same were absorbed by the Great Northern.

"Your property is proportionately as valuable as any of those, and can produce a clear profit of $1.00 per ton exclusive of the manufacturing of coke.

COMPARISON OF VALUES.

"The value of the three coal seams aggregating 36 feet thick in situ in the property would be $360 per acre, exclusive of agricultural and timber values, and the making of coke; these values being due to property being situated on tidal transportation.

"These 3,840 acres or thereby are excellent and adequate commercial assemblages for all industrial purposes capable of producing from the three coal seams aggregating 36 feet thick, in half the area, to be conservative, a daily output of 1,000 tons for over 250 years.

"The Western Steel Corporation of Seattle own nearly 20,000 acres on Graham Island, and they estimate the value of their holdings as worth $20,000,000 in coal and $500,000 in timber, a total of $20,500,000, or $1,025 per acre.

"Taking the capitalization at $2,000,000 at 12 per cent. gives $250,000 per annum, and taking an output of 1,000 tons daily, or $250,000 tons annually, at a profit of $1.00 per ton, would produce $250,000 per annum, or the capital recouped in eight years, adding another year for contingencies, making nine years, or say altogether, at the utmost, ten years.

"Taking the estimated tonnage of over seventy millions during the lifetime of the mine at $1.00 per ton, would give a clear profit of $70,000,000 or $35 for every dollar invested, which would be a return of 3,500 per cent.

"The assembled area of 3,840 acres reported upon is held by licenses from the Provincial Government which include the surface and coal rights therein, and the unpurchased timber thereon.

"The data and reasons for the favorable conclusions have been carefully laid before you in this report, promising very profitable returns of $1.00 per ton of 2,000 lbs. of coal, or a return of $35 for every dollar invested, which is 3,500 per cent., and would result in redeeming the original capital in a comparatively short period.

"The area of the property in mine No. 2 aggregates 4,480 acres; take the coal bearing area at 4,320 acres; say 4,000 acres, and the arbitrary thickness of 20 feet of the bituminous coal property of the American Canadian Coal Company, Ltd., where those lignite coal seams aggregate about 22 feet 2 inches in three seams, may also occur similarly in your property.

"Take the arbitrary thickness of these at say 10 feet 10 inches. Therefore we can compute approximately the total production as follows:

	Acres.	Thickness.	Tonnage in Millions.
Lignite	4,000x	10 ft.	40
Bituminous	4,000x	20 ft.	80
			120

Which would last for nearly 500 years, at a daily output of 1,000 tons or 250,000 tons annually.

CAPABLE OF PAYING ENORMOUS PROFITS.

"The value of 120 million tons of coal in situ in your Mine Number 2 over the coal bearing area of 4,000 acres, would be $300 an acre, not including land and timber values.

"These are most important facts, absolutely essential for appraising such properties.

"Taking the estimated tonnage of 120 millions at 50 cents per ton profit, would give $60,000,000 or $30 return, or 3,000 per cent. for every dollar invested on a capitalization of $2,000,000.

"The data and reasons for favorable conclusions have been carefully laid before you in this report, promising very profitable returns of 50 cents per ton on 2,000 lbs. of coal or a return of $30 for every dollar invested, which is 3,000 per cent., resulting in redeeming a capitalization of $2,000,000 in about 10 years."

SUMMARY.

Mr. Faulds estimates that No. 1 Mine can ship 1,000 tons daily for 250 years (all anthracite coal); No. 2 Mine at a daily output of 1,000 tons, could ship for 500 years. Mr. Faulds in his report estimates the gross profits of $70,000,000 from No. 1 Mine, which would be $35 for every dollar invested, or 3,500 per cent. did the Company own but this one mine; add to this, however, the fact that Mr. Faulds estimates that No. 2 property will return a profit of $60,000,000, or $30 for every dollar invested, were the holdings of the company but this one mine, which is 3,000 per cent.

Therefore the total possible profits from the property is $130,000,000, or 6,500 per cent., which is $65 for every dollar invested.

HOW TO APPLY FOR SHARES.

The trustee, William Forbes Alloway, Jr., banker, well and favorably known, will receive applications for shares held by him, which he will transfer as fully paid up and non-assessable when payment has been received for the same at (25) twenty-five cents per share, which shares have the par value of One Dollar.

Only a limited block of stock is offered by the trustee at twenty-five cents per share, and the trustee reserves the right to himself to refuse any and all applications.

Address a letter or application to the Trustee, W. F. Alloway, Jr., 604 Broughton Street, Victoria, and specify therein the number of shares you wish to take, enclosing at the same time a sum in cash by postal order, money order, express order or marked cheque, equal to ten cents per share for each and every share applied for, and forward the whole only by registered mail; the remainder of the purchase price is payable in three equal monthly instalments.

No applications will be received for less than one hundred shares.

The next issue to be offered by the Trustees will be at thirty-five or fifty cents per share.

Where all cash accompanies applications, a certificate will be issued at once.

Remember the Trustee's Victoria Office, 604 Broughton St. OPEN From 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

BANDIT SLAIN.

Unidentified Highwayman Shot After Attempting to Rob Street Car Conductor.

Oakland, Cal., Oct. 17.—An unidentified bandit, wearing a false moustache and wig, was shot and instantly killed by Motorman H. J. Hegwer, after he had attempted to rob the conductor of a Grant avenue car. V. E. Meeker suffered the loss of the middle finger of his right hand, which was shot off. The car had reached the end of the line and Meeker was outside the car reversing the trolley, when the bandit leaped from the shadow at the rear of the car and seized the change box at the conductor's belt. Hegwer was at the other end of the car, removing the headlight and did not know of the attack until he heard the shot.

As he ran around the end of the car, the bandit was running toward him and fired two shots, both of which missed. Hegwer had his revolver in his hand and shot the bandit through the head as he ran.

IMPRESSIONS OF WEST.

Moose Jaw, Sask., Oct. 16.—The Rev. Father Bernard Vaughan arrived in Moose Jaw yesterday and on being interviewed regarding his impressions of the West, said:

"To my way of thinking there never was a land more ready to give a living to anyone who is ready to give in exchange for it an honest day's work. My advice to Old Country men coming out here in future would be 'Leave your eyeglass at home and your knickerbockers and your hypocritisms and your superiority; put on a pair of overalls, pull off your coat, roll up your sleeves and put your back into your work until you are through with it. Then instead of being all in, down and out, you will come out on top and will become a useful member of an enterprising community and not at all a bad advertisement for the Old Country."

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NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Letters for publication in Daily Times must be received before 10 a. m. When received after that hour they will go over until next day.

While unobjectionable anonymous communications will be published, the name and address of every writer of such letters must be given to the editor.

WINNING OWNERS AND HORSES AT VANCOUVER.

To the Editor: The following is copied from a paper published in Lexington, Ky.:

"The meeting of the British Columbia Thoroughbred Association, which opened at Minoru Park, Vancouver, B. C., June 29, and came to a close September 7, embraced sixty days racing, during which 425 races were run and $145,790 was distributed in stakes and purses, representing a daily average of $2,429. In this distribution 163 owners shared and the following 77 were winners of $500 or over."

This is far from pleasant reading to one at least who appreciates what the thoroughbred race horse has done and can still do to provide a healthy amusement for the community and be the means of improving the light horse of the country, thereby bringing more money to the breeders and farmers for their stock, but that continuous racing for sixty days will tend towards these desirable ends, I have no hesitation in saying that it will not. It will work exactly in the opposite direction and eventually be the means of placing the "Turf of Kings" where it is to-day in some of the states across the line.

Continuous racing for sixty days is nothing but a prostitution of the sport of racing, and I do trust there are some lovers of the thoroughbred race horse on the Pacific slope, who will raise their voices against all such meetings, promoted by individuals who see nothing in the sport but the Almighty Dollar which can be squeezed out of a community.

No doubt this letter will be replied to by those interested in running and promoting these continuous meets, endeavoring to justify their action, but one has only to know what harm to the breeding interests in the United States these long continuous meets have been to realize that the people will not stand for them for any length of time.

WILLIAM HENDRIE,
A Resident of Ontario.
Toronto, Oct. 10.

LEPER WORK IN JAPAN.

To the Editor:—May I say a few words about the wonderful work of love Miss Riddell is doing in Kumamoto, Japan, on behalf of the poor lepers there. She stands greatly in need of our help and sympathy just now, as she has some American patients that she has not the heart to turn away, and yet must have more help to enable her to provide them with the necessary care and comforts. I will now quote from her letter:

"My object in writing to-day is that I want to elicit most earnestly your kind sympathy and influence on behalf of four American subjects who are now among the leper in-patients of my hospital.

"The first was a young man from Vermont, only nineteen years of age, who reached us on New Years day of 1911. His was a case of direct inoculation from tattooing while in Hongkong. He came to the hot springs of Kusatsu, which are of great fame among Japanese lepers—hoping for cure. He was there for nearly two years, supported by his step-brother. Then the brother died suddenly, and when we heard of him he was without means and in debt. His debts were paid for him, and he gladly came to my hospital, where he has a pretty room and lives as an American and not as a Japanese. He has greatly improved in health, and although we cannot restore the lost joints of his feet, his fingers, which were crooked and twisted, are now pliant and strong, and he is in every respect vastly better. (This is owing to a recent Japanese discovery. It is a serum made from the poison of the fish called 'Fugu'). He was confirmed early in 1911 and came to his first communion on Easter Sunday in that year, and he is steadily trying to 'fight the good fight.'

"More recently a husband and wife and child, all lepers, entered the hospital. The wife is purely American, the husband, half Hawaiian, and the child is their little son of two years old. It seems they came to Japan in a boat from China. They wanted to go to the same famous hot springs of Kusatsu, and, to disarm suspicion, went first to China, and from there came to Yokohama. The woman wearing a veil and both wearing gloves, and with a little show of money they succeeded in passing the ship's medical inspection, and reached Kusatsu. There they spent all their money and were found in absolute poverty in Yokohama. They are now in such a bad condition that no ship could obtain a 'clean bill of health' if they were on board, nor could they be landed in America even if any ship could be induced to take them. Although I am greatly distressed for funds, I could not know their sad situation and leave them in such a destitute and tragical position in a foreign country. So they are now in my hospital, which was already filled to overflowing, but the nurses kindly turned out of their quarters to let these people go in, and we are more than troubled and inconvenienced. I must build a little house for them in the grounds if they are to live self-respecting lives, for naturally their needs and habits are quite different from those of my dear Japanese patients. Also, I hear there are three more women, American subjects, who are now in Yokohama in precisely the same condition; they too came to Japan with the same object, and in the same way, and I must try to help them too.

"The arrangements of the hospital are, naturally, entirely Japanese, and these people require a greater expenditure in every way for food and clothing and the ordinary needs of life, however simply these are arranged for. There is no provision for them in any way.

"Perhaps it might appeal to someone to give the little house, which alone would cost from $750 (1,500 yen) to $900 (1,800 yen), and someone else might perhaps give the extension. It would be delightful if that could be, and the gifts would, of course, receive the names of the generous donors.

"A few weeks ago the resident doctors house was declared 'unfit for habitation' because of the ravages of white ants. The house has been repaired several times, but it now has to be rebuilt, and that will cost at least 4,000 yen (or $2,000) and I am very troubled to know where this money is to come from. These building needs, together amounting to almost $3,000, are very urgent, and I shall be most grateful for any help your influence will bring either for them or towards the support of the patients.

"When I was in America, the state of Massachusetts allowed $1,000 a year for the maintenance of each leper on the Island of Penikeese. I should be most grateful if I could feel assured of $300 per annum for each adult and $200 for the child, or indeed for anything!

"Another great need is for a lady to help me in the secretarial work, entirely or partially at her own charges. Last year an English friend who had been so helping me had to return for family reasons, and she hopes to come again in the indefinite future for a year's work.

"It will be very kind if you can mention these needs wherever you think it possible that the hospital might thus be benefited.

"If anyone feels inclined to help us in any way, I shall be so grateful. I do not know of anything much more pathetic than these poor, patient sufferers, quietly bearing this lingering disease until God calls them home. Surely there will be someone to whom it will be a joy to minister to them, and by their gifts make life a little more endurable. Some of the little pamphlets tell the most heart-rending stories. One begins: 'Only twice in my life have I cried tears from the depth of my heart,' said a man. 'The first time was from sheer agony. I was a lad at school, just working up for the final examination for the navy. It was found that I was a leper. Then all life worth the name seemed utterly at an end. I came to the 'Hospital of the Resurrection of Hope' and it was there that I remember for the second time in my life, crying from the depths of my heart. This time my tears were a passion of joy, not agony. Through the kindness and the teaching there, I had become a disciple of Christ. One day I realized first, that He, God, was in me, and then that He was using even me—a man as good as dead—to bless and cheer others. This wonderful joy was so great that my heart seemed to break for thankfulness. I ask for nothing more now than the life of peace and service which the 'Hospital of Hope' has made possible to me, a leper.'

"These facts all speak for themselves. I need only leave these words for your own hearts to turn into deeds of love and mercy. Those who can will find it a great joy to give to this work. Please listen to your own hearts and obey what they say."

You can obtain pamphlets from Miss Riddell, 436 Furu-Shinyashiki, Kumamoto, Kiushiu, S. Japan, to whom you can send gifts of money direct, or it will gladly be forwarded by Miss Caroline Macklem, 1126 Richardson street, Victoria, B. C.

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CIVIC NOTICE

RE MUNICIPAL ELECTION, 1913.

The attention of persons desiring to qualify as "HOUSEHOLDERS," or "HOLDERS OF TRADE LICENSES," to vote at the Municipal Election to be held on the 2nd Thursday of January, 1913, is drawn to Section 5 of the "Municipal Elections Act," which provides that "in the case of the holder of a Trade License, or in the case of a Householder, he, or she, shall during the month of October in each year, make and cause to be delivered to the Clerk of the Municipality, a Statutory Declaration made and subscribed before a Supreme or County Court Judge, Stipendiary or Police Magistrate, Commissioner for taking affidavits in the Supreme Court, Justice of the Peace, or Notary Public, in form, and to the effect of Form 1 in the schedule to the said Act in the case of the holder of a trade license, and of Form 2 in said schedule in the case of a householder."

"HOUSEHOLDER" shall extend to and include any person of the full age of 21 years who occupies a dwelling, tenement, hotel or boarding house, who has been a resident in the Municipality from the first day of January of the current year, and who shall, unless exempted by the provision of the proviso at the end of subsection (187) of Section 53 of the Municipal Act (which exempts certified efficient militiamen and persons over the age of 60 years from paying road tax), have paid directly to the Municipality all rates, taxes or assessments, which are not chargeable on land, which rates, taxes or assessments so paid shall amount to not less than two dollars, due to the municipality for the current year, other than water rates or taxes, or license fees for dogs."

Section 9 of the said Act further provides that "No declaration shall be accepted by the Clerk of a City Municipality unless it be delivered within 48 hours after it is made."

Section 5 further provides that "No person who is not a British subject shall have his name placed upon any municipal list of voters."

Forms of declaration may be obtained and the necessary declarations made at the office of the City Assessor, 2nd floor, City Hall, Douglas street.

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Victoria, B. C., October 1st, 1912.

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Those born to-day will be inclined to act upon hasty judgment and will meet with many mishaps. They will be quick to learn and their experiences will often teach them to be careful. Later in life they will be more fortunate.

Birthday Congratulations TO

Ashe, Frederick Webber (Winnipeg); born, Quebec, 1864; assistant general manager of the Union Bank of Canada.

Black, William David, M. P. P. (Parham, Ont.; born, Dundas county, 1867; Conservative M. P. P. for Addington since 1911.

Cockshutt, William Foster, M. P. (Brantford); born, Brantford, 1855; merchant and manufacturer; Conservative M. P. for Brantford, 1904-1908 and since 1911; a leader of the Imperialist movement.

Fleck, Andrew Walker (Ottawa); born, Montreal, 1848; for 21 years secretary of the Canada Atlantic Railway Company; now a stockbroker.

Foster, Arthur Stewart (Oakville, Ont.); born, Britannia, Ont., 1871; editor of the Oakville Star.

Maclennan, David Barr, B. A., M. A., K. C. (Cornwall, Ont.); born, Charlottenburg, Glengarry, Ont., 1836; prominent in the councils of the Presbyterian church.

Mathers, Frederick Francis, LL.B. (Halifax); born, St. John, N. B., 1871; deputy provincial secretary and clerk of the executive council of Nova Scotia since 1902.

Middlebro, William Sora, M. P. (Owen Sound, Ont.); born, Orangeville, Ont., 1868; Conservative M.P. for North Grey since 1908.

Mitchell, Victor Evelyn, K. C. (Montreal); born, London, Eng., 1865; lawyer, soldier and company director.

Mudge, Arthur Langley, B. A. Sc. (Lachine, Que.); born, Montreal, 1873; electrical engineer and industrial expert.

Murray, James Peter (Toronto); born, Limerick, Ireland, 1852; one of the founders of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association; a founder of the Empire club and one of the leaders of Imperialism in Canada.

Robidoux, Ferdinand Joseph, B. A., M.P. (Richibucto, N.B.); born, Shediac, 1875; Conservative M. P. for Kent, N.B., since 1911.

Saunders, Bryce Johnston, B. A. Sc., C. E. (Edmonton); born, Lyndhurst, Ont., 1860; municipal engineer and land surveyor; was deputy minister of public works for Northwest territories, 1902-1905; served in Northwest rebellion campaign of 1885 and in South Africa.

Wickett, Samuel Morley, B. A. (Toronto; born, Brooklin, Ont., 1872; sociologist, author and manufacturer.

Willway, Henry Hayes (Cotham, Sask.); born, Bristol, Eng., 1866; Conservative M. P. P. for Pleasant Hills, 1908-1912, when defeated.

EMBARGO ON CANADIAN CATTLE.

Pressure Being Brought to Bear on British Government.

London, Oct. 17.—The Canadian Cattle Importation Association is exerting every effort to bring pressure upon the members of the government with a view to the removal of what they deem the unjustifiable embargo upon cattle landed at British ports.

The various Chambers of Commerce throughout the country are being invited to appoint two of their most influential members to become delegates in a strong deputation which will go to the House of Commons at the earliest possible moment. Some currency has been given to the report that the Dominion needs all its present supplies for its own use and that exportation is out of the question. It is therefore felt that a pronouncement on the subject will be of material assistance.

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LEE & FRASER
Members of the Victoria Real Estate Exchange.
1222 Broad St., Victoria, B. C.

FOR SALE.

The choicest business location on Gorge road, situate at the junction of Gorge road, Garbally road and Bridge street, this property offers special attractions to the investor. Having, approximately, a frontage of 100 feet on Gorge road, 80 feet on Garbally road, and 65 feet on Bridge street, this property lends itself to the erection of a revenue producing building containing stores, with apartments over. We are offering this at a price which insures a handsome profit on the money invested. Further particulars can be obtained at our office, 1222 Broad street.

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Life Insurance. Fire Insurance.
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650 View Street.

Hillside Avenue—Two houses, all modern conveniences, in splendid shape, lot 60 feet frontage on car line; good income producing property; reasonable terms can be arranged. Price $6,000

Edmonton Road—House, 7 rooms, well built, modern conveniences, good lot, close to cars and school; terms, $600 cash, balance to arrange. Price is $3,200

Avebury Street—Nice, level building lot, size 50x129; terms, $600 cash. This is good buying at..... $1250

Monterey Avenue—Nice, level lot, young fruit trees on property, easy distance from cars; reasonable terms. Cheap for $1,575

Metchosin Street—Splendid building lot, size 50x125, alley in rear; cheapest buy in Richmond Park; easy terms. Price $1,325

Oak Bay District—McNeill Avenue, choice building lot, close to sea, park and car line; reasonable terms arranged. Very cheap for..... $1500

FIRE INSURANCE WRITTEN.
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BAIRD & McKEON
1210 DOUGLAS STREET.

Victoria Gardens—The choicest waterfront lot. Terms, 6, 12, 18, and 24 months. Price $3750

Garbally Road—Choice lot, 55x135, close to Douglas St. Terms, ⅓ cash, 6, 12, 18 months. Price..... $3000

Saratoga Ave.—New, modern 6 roomed bungalow, full fasement, furnace. Terms, $1500 cash, balance can be arranged to suite purchaser. Price is $5500

Monterey Avenue—Fine lot, 50x120. Terms, ⅓ cash, 6, 12, 18 months. Price $1700

Graham St.—Modern 5 roomed bungalow, full sized lot. Terms, ⅓ cash, balance arranged. Price $4500

THE CITY BROKERAGE
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VANCOUVER ST.

Close to Bay St., 7 room house, all modern conveniences, close in, lot 50x120; $1000 cash, balance arranged 1 and 2 years..... $5,000

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8 room house, just completed, all modern conveniences, cement foundation, piped for furnace, wash tubs and toilet in basement, cement walks, mantel and open fireplace, electric light fixtures; $1000 cash, balance arranged $5,250

OAK BAY.

New 7 room house, panelled hall and diningroom, beamed ceiling, built-in buffet, sleeping porch, full concrete basement, lot 50x120; $1500 cash, balance arranged $7,000

WE PHOTOGRAPH OUR HOUSES.

ROADS CLOSED

Transit Road and St. James street are closed to through traffic until further notice.

R. FOWLER.
Municipal Engineer.

Waterfront Lots Portage Inlet

Close to new Burnside car line, which will be in operation by Jan. 1, 1913. These lots are large and all have fine views. Size of lots, 51x150 to 186 ft. deep.

Prices From $350 to $1550

Terms, 10 per cent cash, balance 10 per cent quarterly.

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Be Your Own Landlord
WILLIAM C. HOLT
Builder and Contractor,
489 Garbally Road. Phone R1624
Plans, Estimates and Specifications.

FOUL BAY

We have five lots en bloc, 50 by 140, close to Foul Bay Beach, on terms of quarter cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months, at, each $1750

R. B. PUNNETT
Phone 1119. P. O. Drawer 788
Room 10, Mahon Block, Victoria

The B. C. Sales Co.
REAL ESTATE
1412 Government St. Phone 2662

BURNSIDE ROAD BARGAIN, 2 lots, 54x120 each. One-third cash, balance 6, 12, 18 mos. Price, for the two $2625

GRAHAM STREET, between King's and Bay, 50x108. One-third cash. Price is $1890

DEAN HEIGHTS, 50x120. Cash, $200, balance 6, 12, 18, 24 mos. Price $1100

FIRST STREET BARGAIN, 40x68. One-third cash, balance 6, 12, 18 mos. Price $700

FIVE ROOM NEW BUNGALOW, extra well built, lot 50x133. Five minutes from Gorge car.

An Opportunity to Secure a Homesite in the Best Part of Oak Bay at a Sacrifice Price

83 ft. 7 in. x 120 ft, 6 in., situated on Mitchell St. Price only

$2,550

On easy terms.

Money to loan at current rates in large and small amounts on good residential property.

Cross & Co.
Mem. Victoria Real Est. Exchange.
Phone 556
622 Fort Street.
P. O. Box 718. Victoria, B.C.

Saratoga Ave.

One of the nicest six-room, modern Bungalows in the OAK BAY DISTRICT can be had for the modest sum of

$5500

$1500 cash will handle. Balance easy.

Mitchell & Hembroff
723 View Street, City.

Yesterday We Offered Some Good Buys Which Were Snapped Up Quickly

TO-DAY WE OFFER FAIRFIELD SNAPS.

Woodlands Rd., large lot, 60x120. Price $1900

Olive Street, high and level, 50x120 ..... $1600

McKenzie St., 2nd lot to Cook, 50 x 124 ..... $2200

Arnold Street, best location, 50x120 ..... $1500

Fairfield Road, next to Irvine, 55 x120 ..... $1800

BUSINESS—We have the best revenue producing business proposition in the heart of the city.

THE GLOBE REALTY CO.
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LOOK AT THESE HOUSES

CEDAR HILL ROAD—Seven room house, with all modern conveniences. Nice conservatory; fine verandah, etc. On very good terms. Price $6200

MONTEREY AVENUE—Two fine houses of six rooms each. Panelled diningroom, built-in book cases. Close to car line. On easy terms.

HEISTERMAN, FORMAN & CO
GENERAL AGENTS.
1212 Broad Street. Victoria, B. C.

"CADBORO VALE"

Where Smiling Spring Her Earliest Visit Pays

A BIT OF "CADBORO VALE"

A subdivision of the loveliest of all the beautiful Cadboro Bay District. Here the first flowers are found in spring and the strawberries always ripen soonest. Right on the curve of the Bay, with an incomparable view, direct across Bay and Gulf to the Olympics. Fit for a King's palace; yet cheap enough for the man of moderate means.

WHY YOU SHOULD BUY IN CADBORO VALE

These lots are being offered now at prices and terms that will never occur again in this property. In buying now you take absolutely no risk, because this property will never fail to sell readily at any reasonable price. The lots we are selling now will sell at advanced prices in two months.

Big Garden Lots, One-Third Acres, With Clear View of Bay, Gulf and Mountains

Oak and Maple Shade Trees Preserved

Plenty of Pure Cold Water

"Cadboro Vale" lots are unusually large, at least a third of an acre each. The entire subdivision is cleared and fenced, and a charming home, costing upwards of $3500, is being built on one of the lots now. Adjacent property is well built up with high class bungalows, many of them owned by some of the most prominent residents of Victoria.

The property is wonderfully well situated in respect of transportation facilities. The B. C. Electric Railway Company's 200-acre park reserve lies just to the north, and it is certain that the car line will cut either through our property from Cadboro Bay road, or run close alongside it. In any event the "Uplands" car line is but a few minutes' walk distant.

"Cadboro Vale" is close to the beach and near the new Cadboro Bay hotel. It lies just beyond "Uplands," and in some respects, is even more favored. There is excellent water in plenty on the property.

"Cadboro Vale" is, unquestionably, the loveliest and comparatively the cheapest property available on Cadboro Bay. Those who know the Bay will appreciate this. Those who do not, should see the property without delay. Our prices are only

$1,400 AND UP

guaranteeing an indefeasible title. One-quarter cash and balance in one, two and three years.

No Taxes In 1912

Near Cadboro Bay Hotel and Just Beyond "Uplands"

Good Transportation Assured

Surroundings well Built Up with High-Class Bungalows

BELIEVE US WHEN WE SAY THAT "CADBORO VALE" IS THE FINEST PROPERTY ON THE MARKET. YOU WILL BE DELIGHTED WITH IT. YOU WILL DO YOURSELF AN INJUSTICE IF YOU DO NOT SEE IT. ALL WE ASK IS A FEW MINUTES OF YOUR TIME, NOW, TO-DAY. LET US TAKE YOU OUT AND SHOW YOU THIS PARADISE OF SUBDIVISIONS. FREE MOTORS EVERY HOUR OF THE DAY FROM OUR OFFICE.

Rooms 10 and 12, Haynes Blk. | **H. A. BELL** | Phone 1741 731 Fort Street

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Richard B. Angus, President.

Sir Edward S. Clouston, Bart., Vice-President; E. V. Meredith, General Manager.

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J. S. C. FRASER, - - Acting Manager, Victoria

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Choice lots in a choice district.

$30 Cash, $10 Per Month

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Notice to Printers

TENDERS

Will be received at the office of the undersigned until Monday, the 14th inst., at 3 p. m., for Printing and Binding the Municipal Voters' Lists for the year 1913.

Samples and specifications may be seen at the office of the City Clerk, City Hall.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,
Purchasing Agent.

Purchasing Agent's Office, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., Oct. 9th, 1912.

P. S.—The date for receiving tenders for the above is extended to Monday, the 21st inst., at 3 p. m.

NOTICE.

Navigable Waters' Protection Act.

TAKE NOTICE that the Hinton Electric Company, Limited, of Victoria, British Columbia, are applying to His Excellency, the Governor-General of Canada in Council, for approval of the plans of work and description of the proposed site thereof to be constructed in Victoria Inner Harbor, Victoria, British Columbia, and being part of and in front of the lands known as Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) of Lot Ten (10) Block C, Constance Cove Farm, Victoria District, according to a map or plan filed in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, British Columbia, and there No. Eleven hundred and sixty-five (1165), and have deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works and a description thereof with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar of Titles at Victoria, British Columbia, being the Registrar of Deeds for the District in which such work is proposed to be constructed, and that the matter of the application will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this notice in the Canada Gazette.

HINTON ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.
By Jackson & Phelan,
Their Solicitors.

Dated this First day of October, 1912.

LAW, BUTLER & BAYLY

1009 Government St.

2½ Acres at Parson's Bridge, 1 acre in strawberries, 1½ acres in vegetables, horse, 2 rigs, 50 chickens, rabbits, 3-room house, furnished. The whole for $4,000

Easy terms.

LONDON COPPER.

London, Oct. 17.—Copper close: Spots, £76 7s. 6d., off 7s. 6d.; sales, 200 tons. Futures, £77 7s. 6d., off 7s. 6d.; sales, 1,900 tons.

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FINANCIAL NOTES.

A Chicago dispatch says: According to a local statistician, the official exports for the month of September from the United States should open the eyes of those who have been contending that this country was not disposing of its surplus.

It was reported in the Chicago market to-day that twenty loads of wheat have been taken for export.

Amalgamated Copper has declared a six per cent. dividend.

The retiring officers of the Wabash have been re-elected.

DISPUTE SETTLED.

Longshoremen and Employers Accept Award of Halifax Conciliation Board.

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—The dispute between the shipping companies at Halifax and the longshoremen has been settled by a board of conciliation, and consequently the feared tie-up of shipping at that point will not materialize. The longshoremen asked for an increase of wages from 25 to 30 cents an hour for a day's work and from 30 to 35 cents an hour for night work. The award of the board, which has been accepted by both sides, gives the men an increase to 28 cents an hour for day work and 35 cents for night work.

CITY CIRCULATION AGENT

Of Leading Montreal Daily Endorses GIN PILLS

FIVE long years of suffering from Kidney Trouble—two boxes of GIN PILLS—and it's all gone. That has been the experience of Mr. Eugene Quesnel, Chief City Circulation Agent of La Patrie, of Montreal. He describes it feelingly:

"Montreal, May 3, 1912.

"I have been suffering from Kidney Trouble for over five long years. I had also Rheumatism in all my bones and muscles, could not sleep nights and on some occasions could hardly walk. I had been treated by some of our best Physicians but without relief and I lost over fifteen pounds. One day I met one of our leading hotel-keepers, who had been cured by your famous GIN PILLS, and he advised me to try them. So I bought two boxes at my druggist's and before I had used one box I felt a big change. Before I finished the second one I was completely cured.

"I can assure you I can hardly believe it for if I had only known what I know now I would not have spent over One Hundred Dollars for nothing when two boxes of GIN PILLS cured me.

"EUGENE QUESNEL."

GIN PILLS are gaining a world-wide reputation, by the way they conquer the most obstinate cases of Rheumatism and all kinds of Kidney Trouble.

50c. a box, 6 for $2.50. Sample free if you write National Drug and Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited, Toronto.

Financial News

SHORTS COVER IN NEW YORK MARKET

Securities Not Purchased as Investment Have Now Been Sold

(Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Oct. 17.—The tendency of the early foreign markets was such today that it stimulated less activity from the individual investor from this side, after which the room traders worked for a lower market as they realized some of the shorts had already covered. There was a class of buying orders in the New York market of a foreign nature, supposed to be reinstated lines sold when the political situation was more acute. The financial interests so much in evidence in the support of the market of late appeared to be taking every opportunity to dispose of securities not purchased for investment.

	High.	Low.	Bid.
Amal. Copper	91¾	89¾	91
Amn. Beet Sugar	70¼	69½	70
Amn. Can.	45¾	45¾	45¾
Amn. Car. & Foundry	61½	61½	61½
Amn. Ice Securities	22	21½	21½
Amn. Locomotive	44¼	43¾	43½
Amn. Smelting	88¼	87	87¼
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	143¾	143¾	143¾
Amn. Tobacco	280¾	279	280
Anaconda	46¾	45¾	45½
Atchison	109¾	109½	109½
B. & O.	107½	107	106¾
B. R. T.	91½	90¾	91
C. P. R.	269¾	267	267¾
Central Leather	33¾	32¾	32¾
C. & O.	83½	82¾	82½
C. & G. W.	17¾	17½	17¼
C., M. & St. P.	112½	111¾	111¾
Colo. Fuel & Iron	41¾	41¼	41¼
Con. Gas	146¾	146	145¾
Distillers Sec.	30¾	30¼	30
Erie	36¼	35¾	35¾
Do., pref.	139¼	138¾	139
G. N. Ore ctfs.	49	48¾	49
Illinois Cent.	130½	129¾	129
Inter-Metro.	21½	21¼	21¼
Do., pref.	67½	66¾	66¾
Kas. City Southern	30	29½	29¾
Lehigh Valley	176¾	176¾	175¾
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	145¼	144½	144¾
Mo. Pacific	45	44½	44¾
Nat. Biscuit	135¼	133¾	133½
Nev. Cons.	22¾	22¾	22½
N. Y. C.	116¾	115¾	115¾
N. & W.	116¾	115¾	116
Pacific Mail	34¾	34¼	33½
Pennsylvania	125	124½	124½
People's Gas	121¼	120½	120
Railway Steel Spg.	37¾	37½	37½
Reading	177¾	176¾	176½
Rep. Iron & Steel	33½	33¼	33¾
Do., pref.	91½	91	91
Rock Island	27½	27¼	27¼
Do., pref.	55	54¾	54¾
S. P.	111¼	110¾	110¾
Sou. Railway	29¾	29¾	29¾
Tenn. Copper	44¼	44	43½
Texas Pacific	25	24¾	24¾
U. P.	173½	172	172¼
U. S. Steel	79½	78½	78¾
Do., pref.	115	114½	114¾
Utah Copper	64¾	63¾	64
Wa. Car. Chemical	48¾	48¼	48½
Wabash, pref.	14¾	14½	14½

Money on call, 3 per cent.
Total sales, 506,800 shares.

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NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Oct. 17.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	10.50	10.50	10.36	10.39-40
Feb.	....	....	....	10.48-49
March	10.69	10.69	10.56	10.60-62
May	10.74	10.74	10.64	10.67-68
June	....	....	....	10.70-72
July	10.78	10.79	10.71	10.74-75
Aug.	10.69	10.69	10.68	10.70-72
Sept.	....	....	....	10.60-62
Oct.	10.14	10.14	10.01	10.02-04
Nov.	10.18	10.18	10.04	10.04-06
Dec.	10.40	10.40	10.31	10.34-35

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NEW YORK MONEY.

New York, Oct. 17.—Money on call firm, 4@5 per cent.; ruling rate, 4¾ per cent.; closing bid, 4¾ per cent.; offered at 4¾ per cent. Time loans firm; 60 days, 5¼ per cent.; 90 days, 5¼ per cent.; 6 months, 5¼@5½ per cent. Close—Prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent. Sterling exchange easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.81.75 for days, and at $4.85.80 for demand. Commercial bills, $4.81.50. Bar silver, 63¼c. Mexican dollars, 48¼c. Bonds—Governments and railroads steady.

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NEW YORK METALS.

New York, Oct. 17.—Copper metal, $17.20 bid; tin, $49.65@$50; lead, $5.07½@$5.25; spelter, $7.50@$7.60.

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BANK OF ENGLAND RATE.

London, Oct. 17.—The Bank of England rate has been advanced to 5 per cent.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office,
October 9th to 15th, 1912.

Victoria—Bright sunshine, 24 hours 6 minutes; highest temperature, 62 on 13th; lowest, 39 on 12th; rain, .23 inch.

Vancouver—Bright sunshine, 26 hours 48 minutes; highest temperature, 64 on 14th; lowest, 37 on 12th; rain, .61 inch.

New Westminster—Highest temperature, 63 on 13th; lowest, 36 on 12th; rain, .95 inch.

Kamloops—Highest temperature, 70 on 14th; lowest, 32 on 12th; rain, .16 inch.

Barkerville—Highest temperature, 56 on 14th; lowest, 24 on 9th; only trace precipitation.

Prince Rupert—Highest temperature, 68 on 13th; lowest, 42 on 15th; rain, 2.81 inches.

Atlin and Dawson returns incomplete.

Montreal owns buildings valued at $5,600,000, but carries no insurance. The city sets aside $10,000 per year for fire protection fund.

Meteorological statistics show that in only one place in Great Britain are there more hours of sunshine per annum than in Douglas, Isle of Man.

PRICES FIRM ON LOCAL EXCHANGE

Market Assumes a Waiting Position—Will Respond to Favorable News.

Victoria, Oct. 17.—Until such time as something further can be officially announced in regard to the development work, plans and general intentions of International Coal & Coke, Coronation Gold Mines, Ltd.; B. C. Packers com., and Portland Canal M. Co., it is not likely that trading will be stimulated to any important extent on the local stock exchange. It is just this waiting position that the market is now in, and with the release of any news relative to these stocks, can easily respond. Notwithstanding the lack of sales, prices are firm, and in many cases have reached an attractive level.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Development	..	.01
American Canadian Oil	.03	.07
Canadian Northwest Oil	.06	.12
Can. Pac. Oil of B. C.	..	.12
Maricopa Oil	.00½	..
Alberta Coal & Coke	..	.01½
British Pacific Coal	.26	.31
Crow's Nest Coal	..	72.00
International Coal & Coke	.38	.42
McGillivray Coal	.10	.18½
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke	..	50.00
Royal Collieries	.03	.06
B. C. Packers, com.	150.00	..
Balfour Patents	..	3.50
C. N. P. Fisheries	1.25	3.00
Can. Puget Sound Lumber	2.00	4.00
Capital Furniture Co.	..	5.00
North Shore Ironworks	..	.50
S. S. I. Creamery	7.00	..
Victoria-Phoenix Brew.	115.00	..
Dominion Trust Co.	123.00	..
Great West Permanent (a)	135.00	..
Pacific Loan	26.00	..
Stewart Land	7.00	14.00
Island Investment Co.	..	50.00
B. C. Copper	5.00	5.75
Granby	61.00	65.00
Coronation Gold	.40	.50
Kootenay Gold	.25	..
Lucky Jim Zinc	.17	.24
Nugget Gold	.25	..
Rambler Cariboo	.70	.76
Standard Lead	1.35	1.60
Glacier Creek	.04	.05
Portland Canal	.03½	.04
Red Cliff	..	.30
Stewart M. & D.	..	.75
Snowstorm	.45	.50
Slocan Star	..	.50
American Marconi	7.00	8.00
Canadian Marconi	4.50	5.00

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BANK STOCKS.

As quoted on Toronto Stock Exchange:

	Bid.	Asked.
Commerce	..	221
Imperial	218	220
Molsons	207	..
Nova Scotia	262½	..
Royal	..	225
Toronto	..	209
Union	..	153
Metropolitan	..	200
Dominion	..	225
Merchants	..	198
Montreal	236½	..
Ottawa	210	..
Standard	224½	..
Hamilton	..	208

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TORONTO STOCKS.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Toronto, Oct. 17.

	Bid.	Asked.
B. C. Packers "A"	151	..
Do., pref.	115	118
Do., common	150	155
Can. Gen. Electric	..	112½
Consumers Gas	196	..
Dom. Telegraph	..	108
Maple Leaf	65	66
Do., pref.	88	98
Montreal Power	237½	..
Porto Rico Railway	78½	..
R. & O. Nav. Co.	115	115½
Rio Janeiro Tram.	156	..
St. L. & C. Nav. Co.	..	111
Sao Paulo Tram.	..	276
Shredded Wheat	78	..
Toronto Railway	142½	142¾
Winnipeg Railway	..	225½
Twin	106½	106¾

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PRIMARY MOVEMENTS.

Receipts	To-day.	Last Year.
Wheat	2,000,000	1,055,000
Corn	266,000	440,000
Oats	971,000	542,000
Shipments.		
Wheat	1,609,000	452,000
Corn	209,000	253,000
Oats	685,000	272,000

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CLEARANCES.

Wheat	276,000
Flour	35,000
Corn	3,000
Oats	22,000
Wheat and flour	434,000

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RATE INCREASED.

Paris, Oct. 17.—The rate of discount of the Bank of France was raised from three to three and one-half per cent.

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CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,500; market slow, weak; beeves, $5.50@$10.95; Texas steers, $4.50@$5.80; western steers, $5.75@$9; stockers and feeders, $4.25@$7.45; cows and heifers, $2.90@$7.90; calves, $7.50@$9.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; market steady to shade lower; light, $8.40@$9.15; mixed, $8.40@$9.30; heavy, $8.55@$9.25; rough, $8.55@$8.80; pigs, $4.50@$7.75; bulk of sales, $8.55@$9.15.

Sheep—Receipts, 22,000; market strong, 10c. higher; native, $3.60@$4.90; western, $3.75@$4.85; yearlings, $4.65@$6; lambs, native, $5@$7.55; western, $5.25@$7.55.

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GRAIN MARKETS.

Omaha, Oct. 17.—Cash wheat and oats unchanged; corn 1 to 1½ higher.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Cash wheat unchanged; corn steady to ¼ higher; oats ¼ to ½ lower.

Kansas City, Oct. 17.—Cash wheat unchanged; corn unchanged to ½ up.

LOW PRICE TOUCHED NEAR THE CLOSE

Heavy Day in Chicago Market—Russia and Australia Offer Wheat

(Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, Oct. 17.—It was a heavy day in the wheat trade, with prices apparently on a natural decline. Bottom prices were made near the close when some wheat bought about midday on a slight drop in consols, and a little war talk was sold out because the foreign news was not important. Early cables reported Balkan conditions less disturbing than for some time. The Liverpool market was ⅝ up. The trade on the other side was giving more attention to the heavy Russian and Australian offerings of wheat at lower prices, and the weakness on this side than to political news. There was a fine map over the northwest. Cash wheat premiums were reduced. Minneapolis reported belt lines blocked with wheat cars. Winnipeg reported no export demand and outlook bearish.

Corn and oats had similar action as wheat.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Dec.	92¾	93½	91¾	91¾
May	97	97½	96¾	96¾
July	93½	93¾	93½	93½
Corn—				
Dec.	53½	53¾	53	53
May	52¾	52¾	52½	52½
July	52¾	52¾	52¾	52¾
Oats—				
Dec.	32¾	32¾	32½	32½
May	34½	34¾	34½	34½
July	34½	...	...	...
Pork—				
Oct.	....	....	....	17.45
Jan.	19.35	19.42	19.25	19.25
Lard—				
Oct.	11.65	11.67	11.60	11.60
Jan.	11.05	11.07	11.00	11.00
Short Ribs—				
Oct.	10.95	10.97	10.92	10.92
Jan.	10.25	10.30	10.22	10.27

% % %

WINNIPEG GRAIN.

Winnipeg, Oct. 17.—The market opened a shade stronger for wheat and, after holding steady during the morning, closed weak. Fluctuations kept within narrow limits and trade was fairly active. Oats were steady. Flax is very weak and dropped 4 to 5 cents, a big drop has occurred since August 1st. Cash wheat is in good demand and there is a fair export inquiry. Receipts are very heavy, being 1,232 cars inspected and 1,150 in sight.

Wheat—Oct., 90¼@89¾; Nov., 89⅞@89; May, 91⅞@90¾.

Oats—Oct., 35¼@34¾; Nov., 35¼@35¼; Dec., 33¾@33¾.

Flax—Oct., 129@133; Nov., 138@132; Dec., 132@127.

Cash prices: Wheat—1 Nor., 89¾; 2 Nor., 86¾; 3 Nor., 85¾; 4 Nor., 83; 5 Nor., 73; 6 Nor., 63; feed, 58. Winter wheat—No. 1, 89¾; No. 2, 86¾; No. 3, 85¾; No. 4, 83.

Oats—No. 2 C. W., 38¾; No. 3 C. W., 37; extra No. 1 feed, 38; No. 1 feed, 37; No. 2 feed, 36.

Barley—No. 3, 56; No. 4, 51¾; rejected, 48; feed, 48.

Flax—No. 1 N. W., 133.

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WHEAT RECEIPTS.

Wheat receipts in carloads follow:

	To-day.	Last Year.
Minneapolis	642	385
Duluth	466	185
Winnipeg	184	674

% % %

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Bacon (B. C.), per lb.	.22@ .25
Hams (American), per lb.	.35
Bacon (American), per lb.	.30
Bacon (long clear), per lb.	.22
Beef, per lb.	.10@ .20
Pork, per lb.	.12½@ .25
Mutton, per lb.	.08@ .25
Lamb, hindquarter	2.00@ 7.50
Lamb, forequarter	1.50@ 2.00
Veal, per lb.	.12½@ .20
Suet, per lb.	.15

Farm Produce.	
Eggs (California)	.50
Fresh Island Eggs	.60
Eggs (Eastern)	.35
Butter, Cowichan	.55
Butter, Comox	.50
Butter, Salt Spring	.50
Lard, per lb.	.30

Western Canada Flour Mills.	
Purity, per sack	8.00
Purity, per bbl.	7.75

Hungarian Flour.	
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per sack	8.00
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per bbl.	7.75
Robin Hood, per sack	8.00
Robin Hood, per bbl.	7.75
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per sack	8.00
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per bbl.	7.75
Lake of Woods, per sack	8.00
Lake of Woods, per bbl.	7.75
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Calgary Hungarian, per bbl.	7.75
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Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 10-lb. sk.	1.05
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Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack	.50
Oatmeal, 60-lb. sack	2.25
Rolled Wheat, 10 lbs.	1.00
Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs.	.65
Wheat Flakes, per packet	.15@ .35
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Graham Flour, 10 lbs.	.50
Graham Flour, 50 lbs.	2.75

Feed.	
Hay (baled), per ton	20.00@25.00
Straw, per ton	16.00
Middlings, per ton	35.00
Bran, per ton	32.00
Ground feed, per ton	32.00
Shorts, per ton	32.00

Poultry.	
Dressed Fowl, per lb.	.18@ .25
Ducks, per lb.	.30@ .35
Geese (Island), per lb.	.30@ .50

Fruit	
Bananas, dz.	.35
Grapefruit, 2 for	.25
Lemons, doz.	.30@ .35
Oranges, 30c	.40@ .50
Apples, per box	1.25@ 1.50
Grapes, Malaga, per basket	.65
Tokees, per basket	.75
Black Grapes, per basket	.60
Melons, each	.50
Local Plums (preserve), crate	1.00
Prune Plums, crate	1.00
Green Gages	1.25
Plums, Ponds' Seedlings	1.00

Vegetables.	
Beets, lb.	.03
Cabbage, lb.	.03
Onions, 7 lbs for	.25
Turnips, lb.	.03
Carrots, lb.	.03
Potatoes, per sack	1.00
Potatoes, Island, per sack	2.00

Fish.	
Salmon, Red Spring, lb.	.15
Salmon White Spring, lb.	.12½
Halibut (local), per lb.	.15
Cod, per lb.	.10
Herring, lb.	.08
Finnan Haddie, lb.	.15
Bloaters, lb.	.12½
Shrimps (imported), lb.	.25
Crabs (local), lb.	.12½
Crabs (imported), lb.	.15
Salmon Bellies, lb.	.15
Flounders, lb.	.15
Soles, lb.	.15
Perch, lb.	.15
Salt Mackerel, lb.	.20@ .25
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Globe Artichokes	1.25
California Almonds, per lb.	.20
New Apples	.50@ 1.50
Washington Gravenstein Apples	1.50
Bacon	.23
Bananas	.05
Beets, per sack	1.25
Cabbage, per lb.	.01½@ .02
Cheese, Sept. delivery	.13@ .13½
Cheese	.13
Ontario Creamery Butter	.31
New Zealand Creamery Butter	.31
Hams	.20
Grapefruit, per box	5.00
Peanuts, roasted	.08
Parsley, per doz.	.40
Spring onions, lb.	.05
Lemons	6.50@ 8.00
Walnuts, per lb.	.19@ .20
Oranges (Valencias), fancy	4.50
Calif. Aust. Brown Onions	1.50@ 1.75
Turnips, per sack	1.00
New Potatoes, per ton	15.00@17.00
Okanagan Potatoes	20.00
Ashcroft Potatoes	19.50@22.00
Local Rhubarb	.03½
Local Carrots	1.00
Spring Onions, per dozen	.40
Tomatoes (local hothouse)	2.00
Tomatoes (out of door)	1.25
Watermelons, each	.15
Canteloupes, per crate	4.25
Peaches, fancy, well colored	.60@ .75
Cucumbers, per doz.	1.00@ 1.50
Cauliflower, per doz.	1.75@ 2.00
Eggs (local)	.51
Eggs (Eastern), fresh	.37
Eggs (Eastern), selected	.32
Lard	.15@ .16
Haddies, per lb.	.08
Halibut	.16
Pears	2.25
Celery (local), doz.	.50
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LODGES

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 2, I.O.O.F., meets Wednesdays 8 p.m. in Odd Fellows' Hall, Douglas. D. Dewar, R.S., 304 Cambridge.

COURT CARIBOO, No. 743, I. O. F., meets the second and fourth Monday of each month in K. of P. Hall. J. W. H. King, Rec. Secy. E. P. Nathan, Fin. Secy.

K. OF P.—No. 1, Far West Lodge, Friday, K. of P. Hall, cor. Douglas and Pandora Sts. J. L. Smith, K. of R. & S. Box 544.

VICTORIA, No. 17, K. of P., meets at K. of P. Hall, every Thursday. E. C. Kaufman, K. of R. & S. Box 164.

A. O. F., COURT NORTHERN LIGHT, No. 5935, meets at Foresters' Hall, Broad street, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. F. Fullerton, Secy.

THE ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR meets on second and fourth Wednesday at 8 o'clock in K. of P. Hall, Douglas St. Visiting members cordially invited.

SONS OF ENGLAND B. S.—Pride of the Island Lodge, No. 131, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays in A.O.F. Hall, Broad St. Pres., F. West, 557 Hillside Ave.; Sec., W. H. Trowesdale, 520 William St., city.

I. O. G. T.—Nulli Secundus Lodge, No. 73, meets every Thursday at 8 p. m. at 721 Caledonia Ave. J. Bailey, Secy., Mt. Edwards Apartments.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

CHEF, practical and reliable, open for engagement, either job or permanent; private dinners; first-class work. Box 670, Times. o18

SALES MANAGER, experienced—office, field and mail order lines—now engaged, but open for a proposition in 30 days; prefer Victoria, but will consider any western location and any line that is right; commission account; first-class Eastern connection. Box 680, Times. o18

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD

MARRIED COUPLE want room where baby would be cared for during day, close in, state terms. Box 655, Times. o17

BUSINESS CHANCES.

CONTENTS and good-will of a genuine, good, board and rooming house for sale. Location right, contents good and at right value, good lease, revenue seventy-seven dollars per week, can be made $100 per week; rent $50 per month. If you mean business you will buy this on sight. Hub Realty Co., 620 Johnson. o22

WANTED—Partner in live sash and door factory doing large general business. Can stand close investigation. Apply in first instance Box 681, Times. o17

BUSINESS CHANCES—Ten roomed residence, on half mile circle, close to post office and car line, could be easily made big paying proposition; small amount of capital required to handle. Write P. O. Box 157 for further particulars. o22

FOR SALE—Grocery store, doing a good business; price $1,300. Apply Box 568, Times. o17

A SPLENDID INVESTMENT—For a few days only, the finest hotel proposition on the Pacific Coast. Apply Box 1371, P. O., Victoria. 1y26 tf

RESTAURANT for quick sale, best location on Johnson street; good chance to buy; wishers come immediately. 525 Johnson street. o19

BUSINESS CHANCES—Hotel, on main road, in a locality where there is no competition, licensed bar, 40 per cent. profit monthly, easily increased; for sale with stock and fixtures as going concern. Write P. O. Box 157 to-day for full particulars. o22

FOR RENT—HOUSES

TO RENT—3 rooms over nice residence in Victoria West at $18 per month, including water. Stinson Real Estate Co. o17

TO LET—A modern four room suite, partly furnished. Apply Phone R4077. o21

SHACK TO RENT—Eldon Place, Burnside, at $5 per month. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. o17

FOR RENT—Two roomed house. Apply 1226 North Park street. o17

A FURNISHED FLAT, $45; new, modern. Field Apartments, Douglas, near Queen's avenue. Phone 1385. o18

TO RENT—Suburban home, 7 rooms, modern, well furnished, large library, light, phone; will rent for 3 months, $50 per month. F. T. Tapscott, Whittier Ave., one street east of Burnside car terminus. Phone F1933. o4 tf

TO LET—Part of a furnished cottage. 917 North Park street. o17

FOR SALE—HOUSES

HOUSES from $4,200 to $21,000. Acreage suitable for subdivision. Beale, 917 Douglas street. a13 tf

HOUSES OUR SPECIALTY—Listings wanted. Where? The House Men, 620 Yates street. Phone 3713. a17 tf

OAK BAY—Beautiful 8 roomed bungalow on ½ acre, $12,000. Beale, 917 Douglas St. a13 tf

FOR SALE—By owner, 5 room bungalow, No. 1213 Oxford street, Fairfield. o30

PINE STREET—The only house in town at the price, one block from Gorge car, new, 6 rooms and bathroom, piped for furnace, cement basement, wash tubs, etc., on valuable corner lot, coming business site, $3,600; $1,000 cash, balance arranged. Wiseman, 718 Pine street (West). o31

NEW, MODERN HOME, only 6 blocks from Post Office, ½ block from car, fine district, has ninety feet frontage on paved street; complete, with all new furniture, including piano; price only $13,000, on terms. Wm. Ritchie, 1023 Collison street, city. n5

FOR SALE—New house, 4 rooms, No. 608 Cornwall street, off Richardson, at $3,500; third down, balance arranged. Owner, 1046 Fisguard street. o17

FOR SALE—Two room shack, well built, lot 40x102, on Second street; price $1,400, easy terms. Apply 33 Yale street.

A SNAP FOR ONE WEEK, $4,200—This house contains 3 fine bedrooms, linen room, box room, parlor with fireplace and overmantel, sliding doors, dining room panelled with leatherette and plate rail, exceptionally large kitchen with sanitas, pantry well fitted with bins, drawers and glass cupboards, bathroom fully modern, fine high basement with concrete foundation. This house is exceptionally well finished, must be seen to be appreciated; lot is 51x140, all fenced in. Apply Higgins, on the premises, Davida avenue, Tillicum road, Gorge View Park. o19

HOUSE FOR SALE—6 room house, Neil street, Dean Heights, three bedrooms, pantry, dining room, built in sideboard, fireplace, panelled and beamed ceiling, large hall and staircase, burlapped and panelled, full size basement, concrete floor and walks; price $4,450; cash $500. For particulars see owner on property after 5 p. m. o19

7 ROOM, new, modern cottage, just ready to step into, on Moss street and near car, street all paved; fireplace and furnace, wood hoist, full basement, cement floor, all the new, nifty ideas installed, rooms all very large; price $5,750 complete, easy terms. Call Mr. Cole tonight, Phone 362. o17

VERDICT—The prettiest, cosiest and all round best, modern, 5 roomed bungalow in the Fairfield Estate at the price; stands on a corner lot, with splendid view, only 2 blocks from Dallas road. Owner leaving city enables us to offer this dainty home at the moderate price of $4,750. It's fine value. National Realty Co., 1232 Government. o17

SIX ROOMED HOUSE FOR SALE—New, only two minutes to car, well finished; one we can recommend at the price, $4200. Owner must sell. Wm. Dunford & Son, Ltd., 233 Pemberton Block. o17

7 ROOMED MODERN HOUSE, on St. Andrew's St., James Bay, close to sea, park and car. A lovely location and splendid value. Price $7,500, on good terms. Wm. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. o17

FIVE ROOMED "DUNFORD BUNGALOW," on Forbes street, on lot 50x129, just completed, for sale at $4,000. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. o18

HOUSE-HUNTERS, ATTENTION — 7 roomed, modern residence, just out of builders' hands, close to Dallas road, in Fairfield Estate, with a view over the Straits that can never be obstructed; $5,500, with small cash payment and balance monthly. British Columbia Investments, Limited, 636 View. Phone 3246. o22

BEACH DRIVE, SHOAL BAY—A brand new, 8 roomed house on half an acre of ground, magnificent view across Straits, half cement basement with furnace, Dutch kitchen, wash tubs, panelled and burlapped, veranda 40 ft. long, garage; price $8,500, with $1,500 cash, balance in 1, 2 and 3 years. Beckett, Major & Company, Ltd., 643 Fort street. Telephones 3515 and 2967. o18

AN EXCEPTIONAL BARGAIN—A new and modern eight room house, on half mile circle, complete, with full size basement, furnace, etc.; this house has been reduced in price from $7,350 to $6,000; terms, 1-3 cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years at 7 per cent. Carlow & Luesley, 321 Central Bldg. o17

ON THE MILE AND A HALF CIRCLE—A new and modern five room bungalow, full size basement, piped for furnace, etc., on a corner lot; price only $3,250; terms, $500 cash, $25 a month. Carlow & Luesley, 321 Central Bldg. o17

FOUR ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW on mile circle, in good residential district, for sale. This is a cosy little home, with all conveniences. Wm. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. o17

HELP WANTED, MALE OR FEMALE

WANTED—Young ladies and gentlemen out of employment should call immediately, at Room 22, Brown Block, 1112 Broad street, for good paying positions. n15

WANTED—Intelligent young ladies and gentlemen who have studied shorthand and failed to use it successfully. Please call at Room 22, Brown Block, Broad street. n15

FOR SALE—ACREAGE

BEFORE BUYING LAND for horticultural purposes, see A. Randy, specialist in horticulture, new orchards, vegetable farms, asparagus, strawberries, mushrooms, etc. A. Randy, 729 Pandora. n9

COWICHAN BAY—15 acres, with good waterfrontage, $500 per acre. Beale, 917 Douglas street. a13 tf

7 ACRES of good land, all cleared and fenced, at Luxton Station, Happy Valley; price $450 per acre. Owner, J. E. McKenzie, 3044 Carroll street. o25

EDWIN FRAMPTON'S REALTY, McGregor Block, opposite Spencer's. Phone 928. o17

GORDON HEAD—1½ acres, cleared and planted in strawberries; price $2,750; terms, 1-3 cash, balance spread over a term of 2½ years. Carlow & Luesley, 321 Central Bldg. o17

SHAWNIGAN LAKE—12 1-3 acres, with nice 2 room shack, right alongside station (Raymond's Crossing), with 300 ft. main road frontage, well and barn, every convenience for chicken farm; only $1,600, 1-3 cash. Very cheap this. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Bldg., opposite Spencer's. Phone 928. o17

COBBLE HILL—On Cowichan road, 50 acres, small house and barn, very light clearing; only $60 per acre ($3,000); cash down $1,000 secures it. Snap this. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Bldg., opposite Spencer's. Phone 928. o17

SAANICH ACREAGE — Near John's Crossing, 27 acres at $450 per acre, and 50 acres, between two railways and on main road, same price, $450 per acre, 1-3 cash. Edwin Frampton's Realty, McGregor Block, opposite Spencer's. Phone 928. o17

FOR SALE—LOTS

A VERY RARE OFFER—To those interested in waterfront property we would draw attention to this very exceptional offer. Twenty acres on the Metchosin road, good soil, nicely treed and sloping gently to the water, with six and half chains of ideal waterfront, 11 miles from the city, for $8,000; quarter cash, balance over 3 years. This property is being considerably undersold and is a veritable pick-up for someone. National Realty Co., 1232 Government. o17

FOR SALE—Lot on Myrtle street, two minutes from Hillside car terminus, 60x120, high and dry, no rock, usual terms. J. W. Jones, photographer, Esquimalt. o18

HARRIET ROAD—Large lot (59x125), only $950, on easy terms. May & Tisseman, 739 Fort. o17

ON THE MILE CIRCLE—Nice lot for $1,200, on terms. May & Tisseman. o17

BUILDERS, ATTENTION—Lot on Pine street, near Tolmie, 50x110, $1,050. For terms apply C. Foxall, Times Office. o19

DEAN HEIGHTS SNAP—2 fine lots on Towley avenue, 150x120, for $1,950; cash $500, balance to arrange. Dalby & Lawson, 615 Fort street. o17

STANNARD AVE.—A fine lot, close to Richardson St. The best buy on the street; $1500, with terms. Box 559 Times. o17

A BEAUTIFUL HOMESITE — Howe street, 50x116, right up on the high part, less than 200 feet from the Dallas road, with a perfect panoramic view of sea and mountains; only one left, close to Dallas, at price of $2,500, usual terms. National Realty Co., 1232 Government. o17

THESE ARE EXTRA GOOD BUYING—2 quarter-acre lots, half block from Burnside car and city limits, at $1,150 each, third cash. If ever there was a bargain this surely is it. National Realty Co., 1232 Government. o17

AN EXCEPTIONALLY CHOICE HOMESITE, on Faithful, close to Cook, size 60x138, for $3,500. As homesites in this select district are being eagerly sought after, we would urge those desiring something real choice for a homesite to investigate this offer. Third cash. National Realty Co., 1232 Government. o17

MOUNTAIN VIEW SUBDIVISION—Lots in this beautiful subdivision at from $400 to $650; $100 cash, balance 6, 12, 18, 24 and 30 months. For sale by Thompson Realty Co., 14 and 15 Green Block. Phone 3762. o19

PARKDALE—2 lots, one a corner; $600 and $700; cash $100 to $120 and terms. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Bldg., opposite Spencer's. Phone 928. o17

SEAVIEW AVE. AND MONTROSE—50 feet of frontage right through, 2 fine lots with lovely view; $3,000 the two, or $1,600 each, easy terms. Edwin Frampton's Realty, McGregor Block, opposite Spencer's. Phone 928. o17

BETHUNE AVE., CLOVERDALE—Water and light, some good sites; $850 up, with small cash payment. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Bldg., opposite Spencer's. Phone 928. o17

BARGAIN—Lot on McRae Heights, only $775; $250 cash and terms. Edwin Frampton's Realty, McGregor Block, opposite Spencer's. Phone 928. o17

CORNER LOT—McKenzie and Cambridge, Fairfield; $2,200 only, usual terms. Edwin Frampton's Realty, McGregor Block, opposite Spencer's. Phone 928. o17

CLOVERDALE (just off)—Fine lots at from $800 up, cash $150; nice residence sites, easy terms. Edwin Frampton's Realty, McGregor Block, opposite Spencer's. Phone 928. o17

WORKINGMAN'S BUY—Sixth street, near Richmond, 34x168; $750, $150 cash, $50 quarterly; 421 Sayward. Phone 3693. o17

FOR SALE—Lot at the corner of Victoria avenue and Agnes street, Victoria West; price $1,400; terms, ¼ cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Box 581, Times. o18

LARGE LOT on Orchard Avenue, Oak Bay, for sale at $2300; a snap. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. o17

CORNER LAMPSON and Lyall streets, Esquimalt, over one acre in size; price $15,000; cheap, considering recent developments in that district. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. o17

LOT ON FOURTH ST., east of Foul Bay road, next to R. C. church, going for a few days at $1000. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. o17

CORNER OF OSWEGO and Michigan, James Bay, 80x120. We can deliver this for $8,000. The adjoining corner was sold recently for $10,000. Nuff said. Wm. Dunford & Son, Ltd., 233 Pemberton Block. o17

SITUATIONS VACANT.

$5 DAY AND UPWARDS made by inexperienced salesmen or women on our Xmas goods; samples free; send postage, twenty cents. J. L. Nichols Co., Toronto, Canada. o29

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Second-hand glass show case or silent salesman, in good condition. Reply to Box 677, Times, giving particulars and price. o18

WANTED—To buy, copy Victoria City 1912 Directory. Apply Times Office.

WANTED—To rent, will lease for a term of years, store, in vicinity bounded by Broughton, Government, Yates and Douglas. What have you to offer? Address in first instance Box 645, Times. o17

WANTED—The address of T. B. Nelson, formerly of Winnipeg. Room 66, Dominion Hotel. o17

WANTED—Small cook stove. Address 1158 Mason. o17

WANTED—To borrow, $1,000 at 10 per cent. for 3 years; security, Okanagan Lake frontage worth $3,000. Box 502, Times. o17

DO YOU WANT READY CASH? We are open to purchase agreements of sale. If you wish to realize on your securities, we offer the opportunity. Canada West Trust Co., Ltd., local offices, corner Yates and Douglas streets. o7 tf

WANTED—Highest cash price paid for cast-off clothing, boots and shoes, carpenters' tools, pistols, shotguns, trunks, valises, etc. Phone or send a card and we will call at any address. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, 6 doors below Government, Victoria, B. C. Phone 1747.

FOR SALE—ARTICLES

FOR SALE—8 h. p. Easthope engine, complete, ready to instal in boat; price $125. Box 634, Times. o31

FOR SALE—Drawing room furniture. Apply 127 Menzies street. o18

FOR SALE—Taylor fire-proof safe. 1030 Terrace avenue. Phone L731. o17

EXCHANGE—For good trunks and leather bags; electric bulbs, 50 and 16; Tungstens, 32 and 16; new zither; lawn mower; wringer; iron wheelbarrow; spade; shovel; pick; light gun, 16, choke and cylinder; light and heavy overcoats; shooting outfit and other goods. Roberts, 824 Courtney street. o19

FOR SALE—Steam engine, h. p. 5 in. x 1. p. 10 in., 6 in. stroke, with all fittings. 2623 Rock Bay avenue. o22

A SPLENDID two-speed coaster gent's bicycle, this season's, for $35; as good as new. Apply to Mrs. Tysoe, Douglas street, third house past Cloverdale Ave. o18

DRESSMAKING MADE EASY with one of our "Sextone" dress forms, made from a cast of your own figure; absolute satisfaction guaranteed. "Sextone" Parlors, 921 Fort street, Room 3. o19

GAS RANGE—Five rings, two ovens, used one year, $14. 1967 Oak Bay avenue. o17

NEW FURNITURE—Bedsteads, springs and mattresses are sold cheaper at Butler's, 734 and 736 Pandora street, than at any other house in Victoria.

FOR SALE—Rifle, 32-40 Savage, $15; bellows top suit case, $9.75; large travelling trunk, $8.75; long range marine glass, $7.50; solid gold, 14 kt. watch, $45; one kt. diamond ring, $85. Jacob Aaronson, new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson St., Victoria, B. C., 6 doors below Government. Phone 1747.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKERS WANTED at once, also apprentices. Apply to Miss McMillan, David Spencer, Limited. o19

WANTED—A girl with knowledge of bookkeeping and typewriting. Margison Bros., printers, 1221 Wharf street. o17

GIRLS' COMMERCIAL COURSE, shorthand, touch typewriting, penmanship, bookkeeping, etc., under Mr. W. W. Suttie, specially certificated by Messrs. Isaac Pitman & Sons. St. George's School for Girls, Rockland Ave. Phone 1615. o31

WANTED—Girl, for general light help and plain cooking. 1402 Stadacona. s11 tf

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

ONE, TWO OR THREE furnished or unfurnished housekeeping rooms, 1345 Stanley avenue, electric light, phone, bath; reasonable; no objection to bachelors. Inquire 638 Princess Ave. o22

TWO CHEERFUL ROOMS for housekeeping, neat and clean, bath and phone. 3044 Douglas street. o18

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS with all conveniences; 1036 Hillside Ave. o21

MODERN housekeeping and furnished rooms, at reasonable prices. 2220 Cook street. o18

TO LET—Two furnished housekeeping rooms, near Gorge, close to car; $15 per month. Box 77 Times. o24

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Monday, diamond and ruby cluster ring. Finder rewarded on returning to New England Hotel. o18

LOST—Small brown purse, between Quadra and Vancouver, on Yates. Return to Times Office. o18

LOST—Pearl and amethyst brooch, between Pemberton road and Mount Edward, last night. Return Times Office. Reward. o17

LOST—Sunday evening, gold extension bracelet, set with cameo, via Bay street, Esquimalt car, Fraser street. Finder please leave at Times Office. Reward. o17

LOST—A young liver and white spaniel, with S. Whiting, 645 Battery, on collar. Return to corner of Battery and Park. Reward. o18

LOST—Scotch collie, sable and white, blaze up face, white breast, white spot on back of neck, answering name Matchless. Owner, Jamieson, 1010 McClure St. Phone 2. o17

LOST—Times collecting book, number 20. Return to Times Office. Reward.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A BRANCH of the Aletha Studio of Music will be opened at 1612 Bank street, Oak Bay. Only a limited number of pupils can be taken. Apply at the above address or Phone R29. o21

REAL ESTATE AGENTS—Take notice that property, lot 9, Russell street, is off the market. H. S. Young, owner. o18

POUND SALE—Saanich Municipality. I shall sell by public auction at the Pound, Glanford avenue, on Friday, October 18, 1912, at 11 o'clock, one grey mare, if not redeemed before. H. Little, poundkeeper. o17

WHAT HAVE YOU in a timber limit that will stand a close cruise? Price not to exceed $100,000. Must have field notes and blue prints, and have time to cruise limit for confirmation. Prefer to deal with owners direct. Eastern, Box 679, Times. o18

TO LET—Two offices, Yates street, ground floor. Inquire A. O. U. W. Hall. o17

FOR SALE—Five years' lease of store, in splendid location; moderate rent. Box 517, Times. o17

LOTS CLEARED, dug and graded, small jobbing done, by day or contract. The Jobbing Partners, Phone Y3065. o22

ANY SIZE FILM carefully developed, 15c.; prints, 50c. dozen; post cards, $1 dozen. 1044 Johnson street.

PHYSICAL CULTURE DRUGLESS HEALING—D. J. Morrison, M. T. D., graduate of the American College of Mechano Terapy. Physical deformities and chronic diseases cured without drugs. Consultation free 9 to 12 a. m., 6 to 8 p. m., or by appointment. 221 Superior street. Phone L3131. n2

FOR RENT—Small hall, suitable for lodges; also hall for social purposes. Inquire of Dave Williams, A. O. U. W. Hall, Yates street. n2

GARDENS MADE and kept up, lots cleared, lawns made, cement work of all kinds done, septic tanks made; contract or day work. Ng Hop, P. O. Box 865. o27

OXY ACETYLENE welds cast iron, brass, steel and aluminum. If it's broken send it to the welding shop at Plimley's, 727 Johnson street. o25

ARCHITECT—Assoc. Royal Institute of British Architects; 6 years in practice in England, 4 years in Canada. Plans and specifications prepared. Store and office buildings, apartment houses, residences and bungalows. Personal attention given to all work. P. O. Box 1313. o22

SEE BEALE ABOUT THESE—Store and office for rent, View street. Beale, 917 Douglas street. s13 tf

MADAM ZELICK—Palmistry, price 50c. 805 Yates St. From 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. n7

TO LEASE—The premises 1311 Broad St., formerly occupied by the Island Creameries. Apply George Sangster, Law Chambers. a28 tf

THE RELIABLE TRANSFER CO., office 1405 Broad street. Phone 2886. Baggage checked to and from all steamers, trains, hotel and residences.

FOR GOOD RESULTS list your property with G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government street. Phones: Office, 1500; Res., 2533.

FOR ALTERATIONS, jobbing work, repairs, etc., apply to J. W. Bolden, carpenter, 1616 Cook street, or Phone 1308.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell your house, list it with the City Brokerage, 1319 Douglas street, who make a specialty of homes and who photograph all the houses they have for sale.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS to let. Apply 1204 Faithful street. o18

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms, on car line; no children. 665 Burnside road. o17

FOR SALE—LIVE-STOCK

FOR SALE—English setter dog. 706 Humboldt street.

FOR SALE—A well trained bull terr dog. Phone L18.

FOR SALE—Good driving mare, bug harness and light wagon. O. B. Ormo care of Popham Bros., Ltd.

HORSES FOR SALE. Jepsen's Transf 343 Michigan. Phone 1982. 115

FURNISHED ROOMS.

FOR RENT—Front room, 12x28 ft., st front (unfurnished), suitable for off mercantile or housekeeping purpos also barn in rear for rent. Terms mo erate; 1023 Pandora St.

NICELY FURNISHED FRONT ROO suitable for one or two gentlemen. A ply Suite 6, Mount Edward Apartmen

NEW ROOMING HOUSE, strictly mo ern; rooms, $15 per month. Juncti Burnside road and Douglas street.

NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, wi breakfast, in private family. Pho L4128. Terms moderate.

FURNISHED ROOM, 342 Michigan stre Phone R914.

TO LET—Front bedroom, for 2 men. 11 Mason street, above Cook.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Three minut from Empress Hotel. 565 Michig street, off Government street.

NICELY FURNISHED BEDROOMS. blocks from Post Office. 734 Humbold

TWO FURNISHED, heated rooms, wi or without board. 1035 Oliphant Ave off Cook street. Phone R3909.

COMFORTABLE, furnished, front be room for gentleman, in private famil 139 Simcoe street, between St. Lawrenc and Montreal. Phone L2093.

COMFORTABLY FURNISHED ROOM suit one or two gentlemen; breakfast desired; terms moderate. 919 Hillsid avenue.

THE COLUMBIA HOTEL—First-cla furnished rooms, new, modern buildi weekly rates. Corner Broad and Pan dora.

ARLINGTON ROOMS, 819 Fort stree Steam heated, hot and cold running wa ter, clothes closets in every room; mod erate rates. Phone 2842.

BALMORAL HOTEL—A delightful famil hotel, under new management, newl renovated throughout; special terms fo families; terms moderate. Address com munications to manager.

NEW HOTEL BRUNSWICK—Best loca tion, no bar, strictly first-class, specia winter rates, two entrances. Corne Douglas and Yates. Phone 317.

JAMES BAY HOTEL, South Governmen street. Family hotel, splendid location facing Beacon Hill Park, 4 blocks from Post Office and boat landings, 100 rooms modern throughout, singly or en suite. Special weekly and monthly rates. Excellent cuisine. Phone 2304.

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Tinsmith, at once; must b good mechanic; married man preferred can guarantee steady work if satisfac tory. The Colbert P. & H. Co., Ltd., 72 Fort street.

WANTED—Good finishers to contract fo finish of 5 room bungalow. Apply 170 Hollywood Crescent.

WANTED—Two first-class automobil mechanics. Moore & Pauline, 1012 Yate street.

STRONG LAD wanted to drive wago Apply Oak Bay Grocery.

WANTED—One or two experienced farm ers, to clear land and look after ranch near Victoria. Box 656, Times.

WANTED—By local hardware store, first-class builders' hardware man; one acquainted with Victoria preferred. Bo 1600, Times.

STEADY JOB for strong boy at Ray mond's old wharf; good wages for righ one.

SALESMEN WANTED—We have an opening for one or two first-class syn cate salesmen; best proposition obtain able; good contract. Apply, giving qualifications and previous experience, P. O. Box 905. o15 tf

WE HAVE ROOM for two or three good salesmen; excellent proposition to the right men. Alvo von Alvensleben, Ltd., 639 Fort street. s24 tf

ROOMS AND BOARD

COMFORTABLE ROOM, with board, for gentleman. 637 Frances Ave. Tradesman preferred. o18

COMFORTABLE ROOM AND BOARD for two friends. 1361 Pandora avenue. o18

BOARD AND ROOM, terms moderate. 1011 McClure street, off Vancouver. o21

ROOM AND BOARD, suit two young men. 211 Mary street. Phone L1354. o18

C. I. A. BOARDING HOUSE, 2515 Turner street, Rock Bay. First-class for workingmen. n9

ROOMS—With or without board, terms moderate. Mrs. McLeod, 1116 North Park street. n4

WANTED—50 men to sleep at the Empress rooms; good, clean beds, in private rooms; 25c., 35c. and 50c. per night. 661 Johnson St. (above Empire Clothing Co.) o30

ROOM AND BOARD, American family. Phone R3257. Spring water, hot and cold. Fernwood car. 1222 Gladstone Ave. o25

MOUNT PLEASANT has been re-opened as a first-class boarding house; large, pleasant rooms, beautiful grounds; half block from 2 car lines; excellent cuisine. 1131 Mears street. Phone R535. o18

WANTED—PROPERTY

I HAVE $30,000 for investment and am open to buy cheap inside and city properties. Would prefer to deal with owners. Joseph Green, care of P. O. Box 71. o19

WANTED—Lot on or near Fowl Bay road, Willows, from owners only. Box 684, Times. o18

WANTED—Lot on Esquimalt road for business purposes, must be close to Head street; not for speculative purposes. Box 1726, Times. o18

THOUSAND DOLLAR CUSTOMERS—We have instructions from a score of Eastern people to purchase lots at about $1,000 each. What have you to offer? Stinson Real Estate Co. o17

I HAVE $500 to put down as first payment on a lot in good growing district. What have you got? Next payment in one year. P. O. Box 965. o17

WILL TAKE LOT on Millgrove avenue as part payment on substantial, roomy house on same street; snap this week. P. O. Box 922. o19

CLAYOQUOT SOUND—Anyone with land for sale in this locality send very best price and terms to Box 897, Post Office, Victoria. o21

WANTED—HOUSES TO RENT.

WANTED—To lease, about the 20th of November, a modern 6 roomed house; Spring Ridge preferred. 126 Michigan street. o17

WANTED—To rent, a house in good locality, on lease preferred. Albert F. Griffiths, chartered accountant, P. O. Box 200. Phones 37 and R888. o21

WANTED—Furnished house, with four bedrooms. Box 639, Times Office. o17

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—By Scotchwomen, daily work, mending, ironing, etc. D., 810 Douglas. o22

YOUNG ENGLISH LADY wants position as nursery governess, would travel if required. Apply Box 671, Times. o22

CHAMBER WORK or plain sewing wanted by experienced young woman. Box 669, Times. o18

YOUNG LADY TYPIST desires work to do at home; terms moderate. Apply Box 640, Times. o21

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CASH and $15 monthly buys a lot with waterfront rights on the Gorge; price only $550. May & Tisseman, 730 Fort. o17

MELBOURNE STREET — A money-maker; $825, on terms. May & Tisseman. o17

DALHOUSIE ROAD—50x120, for $1,350, on terms. May & Tisseman. o17

CENTRAL AVE.—Double corner of Hampshire road for $3,500, on terms. You can't go wrong on any of these; they are all good for quick turns. May & Tisseman, 730 Fort. o17

BAY—Davie street, fine homesite, with several oak trees, between 2 car lines. 80x135; for $3,150; 1-3 cash, balance to arrange. Dalby & Lawson, 615 Fort street. o17

ROOM BUNGALOW, Albina street, between Burnside and Maddock, fully modern; price $3,500; $700 cash, balance $50 every six months. Eagles & Co., Room 4, Imperial Bank Chambers. o17

LOT 1, corner Dallas road and Bushby, 50x131x81; price $1,500. Eagles & Co., Room 4, Imperial Bank Chambers. o17

CORNER BUSHBY AND JOSEPH—141x 50x94, $1,800; ½ cash, balance 6, 12, 18, 24. This is a snap. Eagles & Co., Room 4, Imperial Bank Chambers. o17

CASH, balance on easy terms, will buy a seven room, extra good, new house, inside the mile circle; price $6,700; lot 50x135. Don't rent when you can buy like this. Box 646, Times. o17

ONE LOT on Dunsmuir street, close to West Bay, going at $3500. No rock. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. This lot is east of Head St. o17

CAPS—Summit avenue, close to Cook street, price $800, terms $250; another good buy, corner of Ruby and Burton, price $850, terms. E. Birt, 570 Johnson street. Phone 3343. o18

BRIDGE VIEW—Ker avenue, 3 fine lots, 50x122; price $650; terms, ¼ cash, 6, 12, 18. H. E. Birt, 570 Johnson street. Phone 3343. o18

HOLLYWOOD PARK—The 2 choicest lots in the subdivision, 50x150, facing south, in orchard, all improvements on street, 2 minutes from car; it pays to buy the choice ones; price $2,000 each, on terms. Owner, 221 Wildwood avenue. Phone 2688 or L2890. o18

HAMLEY STREET—Nice lot, 50x136, fenced on one side, level and grassy, graded by 3 paved streets, with bungalows all round, on exceptionally easy terms; for a price below market value, namely, $375 cash, $25 monthly; $1,825. Hamilton Co., 1106 Douglas street. o22

TABLE LOT on Craigflower road (½ acre more or less), on paved street, beautiful location, lies high and overlooks "The Arm" and Selkirk water; fine building proposition; price, for short time $3,000. Wm. Dunford & Son, Ltd., 233 Pemberton Block. Phone 2315. o18

REAL ESTATE.

WILLOWS—2 lots on Fourth street, just off Foul Bay road, at $1,050 each. Wm. Dunford & Son, Ltd., 233 Pemberton Block. Phone 2315. o18

GLORIOUS WATERFRONT, close in, 110 feet, few days only at $5,000; charming homesite; safe anchorage; adapted for a beautiful rockery, garden and lawn; would divide. Phone owner, 4141. o18

FOR SALE—Garbally road, 3 lots from Douglas car line, nice level lot, $2,900. Apply 794 Hillside avenue. o18

DUCHESS ST., OAK BAY—Large, well built, 6 roomed bungalow, on the Fort street car line, just completed; $4,600; $1,000 cash. Apply 1647 Fell street. Phone L3394. o19

BIGGEST SNAP IN OAK BAY—7 rooms, 3 fireplaces, beamed ceilings, bookcases, cement walks, nice view, lot 60x129 to lane, $6,850; also a 4 and 5 room place, on easy terms, direct from owner. No agents. Phone 2394. o19

4 ROOM, new, modern cottage, piped for furnace, open fireplace, walls tinted, built-in buffet, hardwood floor, large basement, nice lot, handy to car and school; price $3,000; $500 cash, balance like rent. Call Mr. Cole, Phone 362, to-night. o19

6 ROOM, new, modern, California bungalow, just completed and ready to step into, furnace, fireplace, hardwood floor, tinted walls, full basement and hard surface floor, den and Dutch kitchen, front and back porch, streets are fully improved, one block to car, 15 minutes out, grand sea view, exclusive neighborhood; price $5,500; $1,000 cash, balance easy. Call Mr. Cole to-night, Phone 362. o19

FERNWOOD ROAD—West side, on the level, near Bay street, big grassy lot for $1,900, on terms. Robt. Wm. Clark, 1112 Government street. o23

WILKINSON ROAD—Fine piece of five acres at $1,400 per acre for quick sale. This tract is near the Saanich suburban car line, lies high, with commanding views, good soil, nearly half been under cultivation, balance light scrub, water main to pass property, which has 264 feet frontage on Wilkinson road, 3 minutes beyond Layritz nursery; adjoining property is subdivided into lots; $1,750 cash, balance spread over three years. Robert Wm. Clark, 1112 Government street. o23

TRENT STREET—One minute from Fort street car, opposite tennis grounds, new, 5 room bungalow, well built and finished, with large attic above and cement basement below, lot 50 by 178 ft. deep; $4,425; cash $1,000, and balance arranged (or would take good building lot as part payment). Robt. W. Clark, 1112 Government street. Phone 1092. o23

OCEAN VIEW ROAD—Excellent big lot, 75x120, for $800; terms, $275 cash, balance $75 quarterly. Robt. Wm. Clark, 1112 Government street. o23

BELMONT STREET, OAK BAY—Overlooking the water, a magnificent lot, 60x110; price $2,900; one-third cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Beckett, Major & Company, Ltd., 643 Fort street. Telephones 3515 and 2967. o18

AN EXTREMELY ATTRACTIVE five roomed bungalow, very well built, near Chamberlain street, lot is 52x100; price only $4,500; cash $750, balance $35 a month. Beckett, Major & Company, Ltd., 643 Fort street. Telephones 3515 and 2967. o18

HOLLYWOOD CRESCENT — Excellent waterfront lot, 57x140; price for quick sale $2,950; cash $1,150, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Beckett, Major & Company, Ltd., 643 Fort street. Telephones 3515 and 2967. o17

1 ACRE, good soil, fenced, close to Pumping Station, off N. Quadra; $2,450, $550 cash, balance three years. Owner, 1109 Hillside. o23

A COUPLE OF BEAUTIES—Your choice of lots on Seaton and Millgrove, adjoining, 50x130; $1,000 each; only 8 lots from Burnside, near car sheds. Apply 1109 Hillside. o23

SCOTT STREET—Off Bay, fine level lot, 50x115, garage, water; $1,200; ½ cash, H. Clark, 733 Fort street. Phone 2690. o17

SNAP—Large, level lot on Haultain street, just off Foul Bay road, 50x135; $1,100; 1-3 cash. H. Clark, 733 Fort street. Phone 2690. o17

CHEAP BUY IN OAK BAY—Nice lot on Oakland road, 50x112, close to sea and car; $1,300; 1-3 cash. Nice trees. H. Clark, 733 Fort street. Phone 2690. o17

CHANDLER AVENUE—Half acre lot, near Foul Bay road; $4,250. Edmonds, 318 Pemberton Block. Phone 2559. o17

MILTON STREET—Near Foul Bay road, 2 lots, each 50x125; each $1,350; ½ cash. 421 Sayward. Phone 3063. o19

REAL ESTATE.

TWO ROOM SHACK and contents, with stable, lot 50x120, inside 1½ mile circle; $1,100; $350 cash, balance $15 a month. Box 716, Times. o19

ONE BIG SNAP—Fine, level lot on Millgrove, half block off Burnside; $800, terms. J. E. Lester, to-day and to-morrow at King Edward Hotel. o17

SPLENDID LOT, 50x150, on car line, 2-mile circle; $1,500, easy terms. 2041 Hulton street. o30

¼ ACRE close to Uplands and Cadboro Bay road; good view, all cleared. For quick sale, $1200, ¼ cash. A. S. Barton, 215 Central Building. Phone 2901. o18

OAK BAY SNAP—One minute to car; good, level lot, 48x127; Cowan street; $1500, terms. Colin Powell, 230 Pemberton Block. o19

FORT STREET (near), one minute to car; level lot, 50x120 to lane; Florence street, $1225; $400 handles this. Colin Powell, 230 Pemberton. o19

ON CAR LINE—Fairfield road, 50x120. This is a bargain at $1700, terms. Price far below adjoining lots. P. O. Box 1197. o19

MONEYMAKER IN OAK BAY—McNeill avenue, 48x113 to lane, facing south; $1500, terms. This price for few days. Colin Powell, 230 Pemberton. o19

NEW 5 roomed modern bungalow, Fairfield, close to car, panelled walls, beamed ceiling, artistically papered, fireplace, window shades, full-sized basement, stationary tubs, garage, clover lawn; owner leaving city; $4750, on terms. Apply 146 Moss street. o19

FIFTH STREET and Summit avenue, double corner, 102x135. Price $3400, third cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. J. C. Browne, Sayward Bldg. Phone 2271. o19

A CLOSE IN HOME, 6 rooms, fully modern, cement foundation and basement, built-in buffet, panelled and beamed, with double plumbing, Queen's avenue, near Cook, lot 50x120; $5,800; $1,800 cash, balance $35 per month. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort street. o19

A MODERN, well built, 5 roomed bungalow on Victoria avenue, for $3,600; $850 cash; cement foundation and basement, fireplace, built-in buffet, etc. A snap. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort St. o19

A HOME in the best part of Victoria West, lot 50x125, on Phoenix Place, six rooms, complete, hall and dining room burlapped, built-in buffet and two fireplaces; $4,750; $1,000 cash. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort street. o19

BELMONT AVE.—Lot 50x110, with fine five roomed house; $4,200; $800 cash. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort St. o19

A FINE, ROOMY HOUSE on Oliver street, lot 50x100, six rooms, full cement foundation and basement, large reception hall and two fireplaces; $5,000, on terms. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort street. o19

A HOME TO BE PROUD OF—On Transit road, Oak Bay, seven rooms, full cement basement and foundation, furnace, laundry tubs and toilet in basement, built-in buffet and built-in bookcases in den; $7,000, on good terms. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort street. o19

BEECHWOOD AVE.—6 roomed bungalow, just completing, cement basement, etc.; a snap at $4,200, on very easy terms. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort St. o19

MONTEREY AVE.—An eight roomed, thoroughly modern house, with full basement and concrete foundation, furnace, etc., particularly well built, with open grates and fireplace, beamed ceilings and built-in buffet, lot 54x120, on lane, corner; $7,000, terms easy. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort street. o19

A SNAP—New house on Cambridge St., Fairfield Estate; modern in every way, every convenience, 5 rooms, bath and toilet, piped for furnace, cement basement; $750 cash and $100 every quarter; renting now for $30 per month. No mortgage on this house; clear of every encumbrance. Price $4,350. Apply to Box 1746 Times. o19

OBED AND IMRA, corner, $900. H. Booth, 7 Bridgman Bldg., 1007 Government St. o19

WORK ST.—Near Hillside, 6 roomed house on lot 50x135; $3900. H. Booth, 7 Bridgman Bldg., 1007 Government. o19

CRAIGDARROCH—Corner lot, 80x100, beautifully situated and nicely treed with oaks; $5000. Another good lot, $3000. H. Booth, 7 Bridgman Building, 1007 Government St. o19

CHEAPEST LOT on Linkleas avenue, near Central, 50x110 feet; $1,350, terms. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort St. o19

CENTRAL AVE.—52x110, a good buy at $1,450. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort street. o19

A GOOD ONE on Smythe street, 50x130, for $1,450. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort street. o19

BARTLETT STREET—50x110, for $1,370, on terms. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort street. o19

A SNAP on Olympia avenue, 60x120, for $1,450; 1-3 cash, balance one and two years. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort street. o19

CHEAPEST LOT on Fairfield road, 52x132x60x144, nicely treed, and with great business possibilities; $2,400, on easy terms. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort street. o19

A CLEARED LOT on Linkleas avenue, 50x110, for $1,400, on easy terms; will go to $2,000 this fall. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort street. o19

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT—Front room, suitable for one or two gentlemen. 733 View street. o19

BOATS FOR SALE. Causeway Boathouse, below P. O. Tel. 2370. o19

STRAYED—From 634 Rupert street, black cocker spaniel pup, about three months old, name "Teddy." Finder rewarded; detainer prosecuted. (2nd advert.) o19

TO LET—Furnished room, suitable for business gentleman, five minutes to post office, private house. 432 Government street. o18

CANOES FOR SALE. Causeway Boathouse, below P. O. Tel. 2370. o19

A DRESSMAKER would like to get sewing by the day. Call or address 2647 Forbes street, Belvedere district. o19

I WILL PAY $850 for any lot within the city limits; must have at least 45 feet frontage. P. O. Box 1070. o23

JUST ARRIVED—Choice shipment of oak mantels, new designs. Moore & Whittington, Bridge street and Hillside Ave. o22

LOST—White fox terrier dog, brown muzzle, black spot centre of back, answers to name Tim; strayed from Phoenix street, Craigflower road, Wednesday morning. Phone X2602. o19

SAILBOATS FOR SALE. Causeway Boathouse, below P. O. Tel. 2370. o19

MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTION AGENTS, either sex, for the city of Victoria; steady, permanent position; large profits; exclusive territory; experienced preferred, but unnecessary. Write quick. Wm. Dawson & Sons, Ltd., 91 Church street, Toronto. o19

FIFTY DOLLARS—See the advertisement in this column in last Monday's issue. o17

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED. Angel Hotel, Langley street. o19

LAUNCHES FOR SALE. Causeway Boathouse, below P. O. Tel. 2370. o19

FOR RENT—New, modern bungalow, 4 rooms, full basement, partly furnished, immediate possession, opposite Jubilee Hospital. Apply 1776 Lee avenue. o19

KILN DRIED INTERIOR MOULDINGS—Base, casings, sash, doors, etc. Moore & Whittington, office and factory Bridge street and Hillside avenue. o22

LOST—Silver fail ruff, between Grant and Elford streets. Finder please return to 948 Yates and receive reward. o19

TO RENT—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, on car line, rent reasonable. 137 Eberts street. o19

TO RENT—4 roomed house. Apply 2811 Rose street. o19

FORTY-FIVE MEN PROBABLY DEAD

STILL ENTOMBED IN MINE IN TASMANIA

Hope Has Been Abandoned of Rescuing the Imprisoned Miners

Hobart, Tasmania, Oct. 17.—All hope has now been abandoned of rescuing those miners entombed at the North Mount Lyell mine. It is estimated that the deaths will number 45.

The 51 men alive at the 1,000-foot level have been brought to the surface amid rejoicing on the part of their relatives and friends.

The fire is now confined to the lower levels.

The rescue party is still at work and it is anticipated that it will soon be possible to reach the miners lower down. Even if they had not been subjected to poisonous gases it is hardly possible for any of them to be alive, as they have been without food for five days.

CHICAGO CHAMPIONSHIP.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—The White Sox tied up the Chicago championship series to-day by winning 8 to 5, their third straight victory, from the Cubs in another great rally. The series now stands three games apiece and to-morrow's winner will take the title and big end of the gate receipts. Walsh pitched the ninth and shut out the Nationals.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Nationals	5	6	0
Americans	8	13	0

Batteries—Cheney, Richoy, Lavender and Archer; Lange, Walsh and Schalk.

CONTRACTOR MAKES ERROR IN FIGURES

Mistake Between Words and Numerals in Price for House Causes Lawsuit

The necessity for careful reading of contracts was demonstrated by a judgment handed down this morning by Judge Lampman in the trial of Exton against Nimmons, the plaintiff being a contractor who built a house for the defendant. The plaintiff wrote an undertaking to build the house and mentioned the price as "two thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars ($2225.)" When the contract was completed the defendant paid the plaintiff $2,225 and the plaintiff brought suit for $300.

Judge Lampman dismissed the action and in his judgment said after referring to legal arguments: "The words are on one side of the dollar sign and the figures are on the other. It is for me to say which was intended between the parties. There is no doubt the defendant must pay $2,225. If I was of the opinion that either had taken advantage of the other the position would be simple, but I think both were mistaken. In this instance the figures strike the eye first and are in the body of the contract. The best that can be said for the plaintiff is that both parties are free from blame. Then, according to the maxim, 'Melior est conditio defendentis,' he cannot recover.

"I think also he fails on the ground that he was the actor, and it is really his fault the mistake arose."

Judgment was given yesterday afternoon in the commission claim of Otto against Skedine for the plaintiff for $135 and costs. A claim for lost baggage against the C. P. R. brought by one Greenwood was heard and judgment reserved. The same course has been followed in Olifant against Taylor.

In the slander case of Jameson against Sutherland, heard in the Supreme court by Mr. Justice Gregory yesterday the case was dismissed and the damages asked for refused.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LARGE, FURNISHED ROOM, separate beds, with board, $7 a week each. 1671 Pandora avenue. o23

ROUGH AND DRESSED LUMBER, lath, shingles, stock and detail mouldings, etc. Moore & Whittington, Bridge street and Hillside avenue. Phone 2697. Sawmill, 298. o22

HORSES—I want to rent a fairly heavy horse for a short time; good care and light work; might purchase if satisfactory. G. L. Walker, Phone M1627. o17

WANTED—A steady, reliable man for a position of trust; salary, $15 to start, with splendid future prospects; married men only, with good local references and cash security of $75. Reply, giving full particulars of past experiences. Room 405, Times Building. o19

BOATS, BOATS, BOATS—For sale, new and second-hand. Causeway Boathouse, below P. O. Tel. 2370. o19

WANTED—Woman, for house work, few hours daily. 1709 Douglas. o19

COMFORTABLE furnished rooms, moderate. 1016 McClure street. o23

TO RENT—Two roomed house and furnished housekeeping rooms. 1041 Collinson. o19

WANTED—Boys or girls to work in cigar factory. Apply at 705 Pandora Ave. o19

FIRST-CLASS BOARD and room. 1255 Pandora. Phone L3563.

WANTED—A girl for light housework; sleep home; no Sunday work. Apply 1198 Yates St. o19

LOST—Near Terry's, one pair of black shoes for small child. Finder please communicate with phone 522 or 1946. o17

$660 FOR NEW $900 PIANOLA PIANO and $100 worth of music. Latest model instrument, perfect condition, superb tone, plays both 65 and 88 note music. Owner leaving city; $300 cash, balance $10 monthly. Inspection invited; 146 Moss street. o19

REFINED COUPLE with two children want suite of three rooms; nice locality; immediate possession. Box 721, Times. o19

YOUNG MEN who have already steady employment can add something to their incomes by a little agreeable work in their spare time. Orillyle & Anderson, 23 Brown Block, 1112 Broad street. o17

WE HAVE an opening in our advertising department for a young lady who is quick at figures and understands typewriting. Apply Advertising Manager, B. A. Paint Co. o17

LIST YOUR BOATS with the Causeway Boathouse for sale. Below P. O. Tel. 2370. o19

DIED

YARWOOD—On the 17th inst., at the residence, 2025 Hulton street, Kenneth Lawson Yarwood, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Esmond T. Yarwood, aged 1 year. Born in Victoria.

The funeral will take place from the above address on Friday at 2 p. m. Interment in Ross Bay cemetery.

Victoria West

Large lot, Pine street, with frontages on three streets, size 58.9 x 130 ft., suitable for two houses. Terms. Price **$1750**

J. T. REDDING

822 Catherine St., Victoria West.

Phones 2206 and L1293.

Gorge Waterview

One of the most beautiful lots in this section on Holland Road, 50x140, unobstructed view of Gorge waters, no rock, lies on an elegant slope; cheaper than surrounding property ...**$1275**

Ker Addition

Ker Avenue, 66x140, for....**$700**
Walter Avenue, 51x120.....**$850**
Obed Avenue, 40x128, city water. Price **$700**

OAK BAY SNAPS.

N. Hampshire Road, short block from avenue, 55 ft. frontage, beautifully treed **$1550**

QUARTER CASH.

THE TOMLINSON CO.

Phone 243

Real Estate Investments and Insurance.

1106 Douglas St., Victoria, B. C.

Personal

Nindell B. Shaw returned to-day from a holiday at Sol Duc Hot Springs.

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Mrs. Creed and Mrs. Tuckey, who spent the summer months at Cordova Bay, have returned to their home on Chestnut avenue, Oak Bay.

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Mrs. White, of Vancouver, who has been the guest during the past week of Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Clay, Linden avenue, returned to-day to the Terminal city, being accompanied by Miss Leitch, who will remain in Vancouver for a few days.

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Mrs. A. W. McClure, of Gordon Head, came over on yesterday afternoon's boat from Vancouver, where she has been visiting old-time friends, now residing in the Terminal city.

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On Monday evening last at 8 o'clock a very pretty wedding was celebrated at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert T. Gravlin, Oak Bay avenue, when their eldest daughter, Annie Violet, was united in marriage to George William Etherington, the ceremony being performed by Rev. William Stevenson. The ceremony took place in the drawing room, which had been most effectively decorated for the occasion with festoons of smilax and ivy intertwined with white roses and carnations, while a large number of the friends of the young couple were present to witness the ceremony. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a very becoming wedding dress of pale blue chiffon over blue satin, with veil and wreath of orange blossoms, her bouquet being of white roses and carnations. Her bridesmaid, Miss Rita Etherington, looked very pretty in blue satin with all-over lace bodice, Thomas Gravlin, the bride's brother, acting as best man. At the piano Miss Lily Gravlin, a sister of the bride, presided, playing the well known wedding march by Mendelssohn as the happy pair left the room, a reception being held in the evening at which Mr. and Mrs. Etherington received the congratulations and good wishes of their friends. The happy pair left by the midnight boat for Vancouver and other coast cities, and on their return to Victoria in about ten days' tim will make their residence on Bethuen street.

VANCOUVER TRAGEDY.

Body of Ernest Spinard Exhumed at Request of Counsel for McNaughton.

Vancouver, Oct. 17.—The body of Ernest Spinard of North Vancouver, who died in the general hospital on October 4, following a fracas on Columbia avenue on the night of September 30, as a consequence of which Harold A. McNaughton now faces a charge of murder, was exhumed this morning at the request of counsel who will act in McNaughton's defence.

Splendid Home Splendid Location

LINDEN AVENUE

The last word in comfort and refinement. Eight rooms on lot 50x116 feet. Parlor, diningroom, hall and den, hardwood floors, panelled and richly covered walls. All modern in keeping with the best taste in interior finish. Three baths, large linen and clothes closets. Cement basement with furnace installed. Gas and coal ranges, cabinet kitchen and pantry. Four airy bedrooms and sleeping porch. Wide verandah overlooking the sea. A new, modern home, exceeding attractive within and without.

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BURNSIDE CAR LINE SNAPS

HARRIET ROAD, choice lot, 50x160; good view. Price is **$1250**

IRMA STREET, a fine lot, facing south, 50x160. Price is **$1250**

BURNSIDE ROAD, double corner, inside city limits. Price **$4200**

EMMA STREET, high lot, fine view, 50x125. Price is **$1250**

LOGAN AVENUE, close to Harriet Road, 50x130. Price **$900**

WASHINGTON AVENUE, half acre lot, the best one on the avenue; fine view from this lot.....**$4500**

TILLICUM ROAD, choice lot, 50x130, for.....**$900**

MILGROVE STREET, two large lots, 50x187. Each at **$900**

John Greenwood

Telephone 1425.

613 Sayward Bldg.

VICTORIA TAXPAYERS

October 31st inst., will be the last day on which

REBATE

of 1-6 will be allowed on 1912 TAXES.

Please remit or call early to avoid rush on last day.

On account of only registered owners being assessed this year, and also of the great many transfers of real property taking place, some will not have received their 1912 Tax account, and in order that those who desire information respecting Taxes may obtain same, my office will be kept open evenings (except on Saturday) between 7.30 and 9.30 o'clock.

Payment of Taxes can only be made between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., and up to 1 o'clock on Saturday.

EDWIN C. SMITH,
Treasurer and Collector.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 11, 1912.

A.O.F. FUNERAL NOTICE

The officers and members of Court Vancouver are requested to meet at A. O. F. Hall, Broad street, on Friday, Oct. 18, at 1.30 p.m., to attend the funeral of late Bro. H. Prior, sr. Members of sister courts cordially invited.

SIDNEY WILSON,
Secretary

GODWIN & McKAY

WANTED

We have buyers for small tracts of acreage. Bring in your listings.

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Not far from Outer Wharf, on Montreal St., house on lot 40x120, **$6,500; easy terms.**

Some would ask you $8,000 for it. Get particulars to-day. To-morrow you may be disappointed.

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CADBORO BAY BARGAIN

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Perhaps it is the natural result of her extensive travels, perhaps it is native to her personality, that the Marchioness of Donegall, who is at present visiting Victoria, is one of the most versatile women of her time in her sympathies and pursuits—but whatever the origin of this trait of character it is deep-rooted and finds expression in her analysis of every question that is put to Her Ladyship. A Canadian by birth and upbringing, linked to Ireland through her late husband, the Marquis of Donegall, an Imperialist in her sympathies, and a cosmopolitan by right of her travels and her keen interest in the social and political life of those countries which she has visited, Lady Donegall has a more than usually difficult task set her when asked to pronounce definitely her views on questions of the hour—for the simple reason that she is informed enough and sympathetic enough to see a little of both sides of a question.

Seen yesterday at the Empress hotel by a Times representative, Lady Donegall briefly reviewed her many interests, her love of travel, books, politics, and philanthropic enterprises of a most diverse nature. One's greatest wonder is, after talking with one whose interests are so numerous, that she gets the time to gratify all her sympathies as she does, and is able to help so many worthy and charitable causes as come within the category of her interests.

Disciple of Mr. Chamberlain.

To begin with, Lady Donegall is a disciple of the Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain in the matter of tariff reform, and is president of the Putney and Wandsworth branch of the Women's Association of the Tariff Reform League, the vice-president of this association being another noted Canadian woman, Mrs. Cole, wife of the Governor of the Bank of England—before her first marriage to Mr. Herbert Chamberlain, brother of Joseph Chamberlain, Miss Williams, of Port Hope, Ontario.

Another of Lady Donegall's interests is the League of Mercy, a society which is affiliated with the King Edward Hospital fund—one of the biggest charity organizations in England. The purpose of the League is to collect money for distribution among the numerous hospitals, the annual sum collected and handed over to the larger society by the league amounting to about £20,000. Lady Donegall is president of the Hornsey and Finchley branch of the organization, an organization of which Their Majesties until the time of their coronation were the active heads, still remaining the nominal chiefs although the actual grand officers are Prince and Princess Alexander of Teck.

The Barnardo Homes.

As a Canadian woman who has watched the working of the system from afar as well as from the nearer stand of a London resident, Her Ladyship is keenly interested in the Dr. Barnardo homes—particularly that department which has to do with the bringing out of the little boys and girls to Canada. "The idea," said Lady Donegall in referring to the emigration of these young children to Canada, "is that the children should be brought out while still quite young, so that they can grow up in Canadian homes and on Canadian farms where they will not only become Canadian in sentiment but will have acquired the necessary knowledge of Canadian methods of working while they are still impressionable. Only in this way can they grow up with the country, and be part of its inner life. Hundreds are brought out to Canada every year, and Barnardo's homes are doing a really wonderful work in this respect. The organization at home is splendid; all the boys are taught a trade, and in connection with the institutions there are great workshops where they are trained in carpentry, boot-making, book-binding, and all sorts of things. The boys are never allowed to be idle, and the homes are partly self-supporting from the sale of the different things made in the workshops. For the rest the society has to depend on the charity of the British public in the form of bequests and subscriptions—but English people seem to grow up with the consciousness that these things are always with them and that everyone is more or less responsible for the welfare of the poor. Another form of occupation is given to numbers of the Barnardo children who are sent to the training ships and ultimately become useful protectors of the Empire. The girls, too, are trained in various ways, principally as domestic servants, and are sent out to the colonies in this capacity."

Her Favorite Charity.

But her favorite charity is in connection with dumb animals, and she is one of the most active members of the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and of the Dumb Friends' League. Dumb animals, she says, excite her compassion more, perhaps, because there are relatively few people who are interested in their welfare, nearly any other charity which it is possible to mention having legions of supporters. The Dumb Friends' League cares for as many of the injured horses and donkeys in the great city of London as its funds will permit. It runs the Horse Ambulances at the corner of Hugh street, Belgrave road. There donkeys or horses belonging to poor people who cannot afford to dispense with the services of their dumb servants, are cared for at the expense of the league, and, as far as possible, the carter supplied with another well animal during the period that his own is in the hospital. This work also being dependent on the subscriptions and bequests of the kindhearted public. Her interest in animals is not impersonal, as Lady Donegall has a number of canine pets of her own, of whose company she is unfortunately deprived during her numerous journeys abroad.

Visited the Balkans.

These journeys have taken her into many countries, on some of which the eyes of Europe are centred at the present time. Two years ago she was in Montenegro and Albania, her travels at that time also taking her through Servia, Bulgaria, Roumania, Turkey and Greece, and a memorable interview with the King of Montenegro convincing her of the broad-mindedness, ability, and patriotic love of the septuagenarian Prince Nicholas. The Bulgarian army is, she says, splendidly organized, and the Montenegrins are a fine fighting race, and she could not help thinking that they will succeed. "The question is," said Lady Donegall, "whether the powers will allow them the fruits of their victory at the end of the fight. Austria is naturally very much interested; Germany also on account of Egypt—and one could name reasons why each of the other countries of Europe might wish to have a finger in the pie."

Finally, Lady Donegall is a firm believer in the idea of an Imperial Parliament, and says it must come if the Empire is to be held together. She is not in favor of the present Home Rule Bill, and expressed the wish that something could be done to solve the question, not only of Home Rule for Ireland, but as regards an Imperial Parliament—two questions which were too closely involved to be considered apart.

SAMPLE MARKETS.

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—Arrangements have been made for a conference at Winnipeg between the Railway Commission and representatives of Western railways to discuss railway facilities for the sample market which is to be established in Winnipeg in connection with the grain exchange. The date will probably be towards the end of November, after the completion of the freight rates enquiry.

The Railway Commission intends to make a general Western tour at this time. Prof. McGill, the chairman of the Grain Commission, reports that the movement of grain has become very rapid and that there is ground to hope that there will be no blockade.

THREE MONTHS HAVE NOW EXPIRED AGAIN

Third Period for Report on Sooke Waterworks Has Closed

Yesterday the third period of the nine months since the Sooke Lake contract was let was concluded, and a report will be prepared for the next meeting of the city council on the progress of the work in that period. It is the last which Mr. Raymur will receive as the water commissioner, after being associated with the work of the department for some years.

The office has been the subject of bitter attack in recent years owing to the increase of population having exceeded the possibilities of Elk lake, and the unfortunate fact in consequence that the available supply of the lake is much less than the quantity required by the city. There is, of course, a section of the older residents who claim that Elk lake is not exhausted, and that capable engineering would devise a means of drawing more water off than is at present found possible, but when this phase is mentioned in council it is voted down.

The water commissionership is an office dating back some forty years, having been established in 1873 for the purpose of bringing into operation the first waterworks act. The then mayor, J. D. Robinson, was selected as the first commissioner. He was afterwards city clerk, after the death of William Leigh, second clerk of the municipality.

At different times the office has been held by Thomas Russell in the eighties, and C. E. Wilmot, C.E., afterwards engineer and surveyor. The work has not always been done under that name, and occasionally the commissionship has been vacant.

BORDEN ON RECIPROCITY.

(Winnipeg Tribune.)

Speaking at a dinner given in the Windsor Hotel, Montreal, on July 21, 1904, Mr. Borden (now Premier) said: "There is a fear in some sections of this country that a policy of this sort (Inter-Imperial preferential trade) may in some way interfere with the blessed privilege of free government which we now enjoy and which privilege we never intend to give up. It is, of course, necessary to carefully weigh the opinions and to give ear to these fears, but I, personally, do not think that there is any danger in our entering into what is nothing more than a reciprocity treaty with the United Kingdom.

"Was there any idea that a reciprocity treaty with the United States would in any way interfere with self-government in Canada? No. Then, why should that fear exist so far as Great Britain is concerned?"

Mr. Borden, though one of the best of our politicians, had no fear in 1904 that an actual treaty with the United States would "interfere with self-government in Canada."

The politician, however, was too much for the statesman in 1911, and Mr. Borden consented to the abominable cry of annexation, and allied himself with the "down with the British navy" party in Quebec.

Editor Willison indicates that stormy times are ahead for Mr. Borden with his Nationalist friends.

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